

Profiles of Daily Living



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The Document

"Profiles of Daily Living" is a summary report from an information gathering project conducted within Adams, Grant, and Lincoln counties. Individuals and households were asked to participate in this information gathering process to help improve the understanding and documentation available regarding how area residents are meeting basic needs and quality of life issues for the region.

Purpose

Before decisions are made about what is or is not needed by people living within a particular area and before strategies are developed to meet the needs of specific groups of people, it is critical that decision makers have solid factual information before them to base their decisions upon. "Data" is a key foundational component in most decision making processes. In the world of government and non-profit organizations not only is "data" necessary to understand community needs and to develop local strategies, but data documentation is also required by potential funding sources in almost any request for funding. Community organizations cannot bring tax dollars home or bring in other sources of money without building a "data" case that demonstrates why a certain program or service would be of benefit to a particular area or group of people.

The information gathering project that resulted in this report was initiated by North Columbia Community Action Council because of their need to obtain data about the three county area (Adams, Grant, and Lincoln) they serve so that they could better plan their approach to community needs. Community Action invited other agencies into the planning process who also had an interest in obtaining new information about the communities they serve. Together several organizations developed a plan and approach to meet their data needs in a collaborative supportive process. The group determined that at the county level, information was lacking or unavailable on basic needs, quality of life issues, and a few other topics. Understanding basic needs and quality of life became the primary focus of the "Profiles of Daily Living" project.

Mechanism

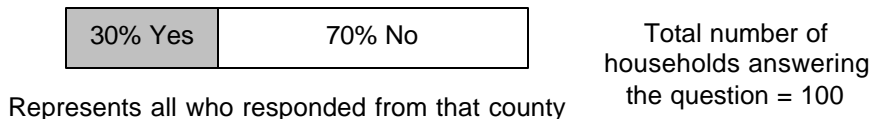
To gather information on basic needs and quality of life, the planning group chose to pursue the development of a written questionnaire. The questionnaire was distributed by mail, in English and Spanish, to randomly selected households located within the three county area of interest. The questionnaire was focused on the general population regardless of income, age, sex, race, ethnicity or any other individual characteristic. Efforts were made to ensure that geographic representation within each county was obtained, therefore every city and zip code within each county was targeted to receive questionnaires. The questionnaire was distributed in proportion to the population within an area, which means that geographic regions with a higher concentration of the area's total population received a higher proportion of questionnaires. In all nearly 7,000 surveys were distributed in the Spring of 2001 across the three county area. The number returned by county was: Adams - 437, Grant - 670, and Lincoln - 258.

Caveat

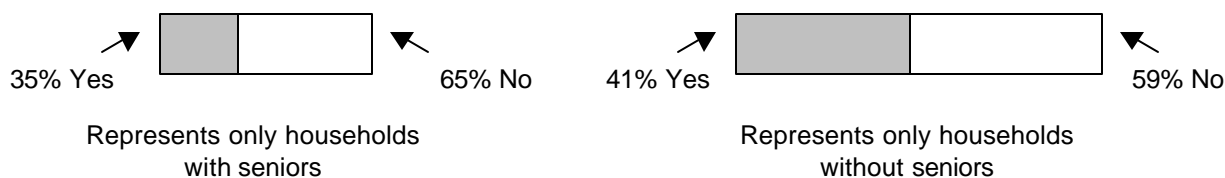
The information presented in this report is based on those responding to the questionnaire and is a snapshot into their lives at one particular point in time. Prior to this information gathering process we had none of this type of data available and now we have some. The findings represent the planning group's best attempt to improve what is known about the real everyday lives of people who live in the center of Eastern Washington; it is not perfect. It does reflect what was happening before September 11th to real people living in the houses, manufactured homes, apartments, and on the farms you pass by everyday. We greatly appreciate all of the people who took the time to complete and return the questionnaire.

Reading the Data Summaries

When reading the summaries that follow some additional information may be helpful in understanding the story the numbers are illustrating. The level of detail that findings could be presented in are impacted by the number of returned surveys. At a minimum, each county will have an overall summary of responses to certain questions. The overall summary section will give "The Question" asked of those responding and the total county breakdown of responses. This primarily means that out of all the people who choose to answer that particular question within a certain county, you will know what percent answered with a yes or no.



For some topics a greater level of detail may be available which is described under a heading called "The Difference". In this section the data is separated into categories so that differences between groups of people can be seen. For example, households who responded to the survey may be separated by those with senior age family members and those without to see whether they answer the question in different ways. The response from each of the groups to the question is generally broken down by the percent within that group that answered with a yes or no.



The planning group discussed the types of characteristics that "might" affect how people respond, such as income, living arrangements and geography. The breakdowns found in "The Difference" section do not represent all those that could be made, but do represent those that were felt to be of the most interest at this point in time with the amount of data available.

Further Detail

This document includes only a portion of the data available from the questionnaire. Individuals that are interested in more detailed data or other types of data are encouraged to contact the Assessment Coordinator at the Grant County Health District for assistance.

Comments

If you have questions or comments about the data in this report, please direct them to the Assessment Coordinator in the Grant County Health District's Ephrata Office. If you believe you have found a technical or non-technical error, please let us know.

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Definitions

This survey report contains various terms to describe the data gathered from households. To improve the reader's understanding of the findings some brief definitions are provided below. The "Crosstabs" section of this report contains additional information that may helpful to reader.

All county households - Refers to all households within a specified county who completed a questionnaire.

Annual Income - Refers to total individual or family income for the year 2000 regardless of source. The official median income for the counties surveyed was slightly above \$30,000, therefore the income breakdowns were developed to help show differences between people living above and below median income.

City - Refers to households who describe their home as being within a town or city's limits.

Country - Refers to households who describe their home as being in the country or a rural area, that is not within a city.

Disabled - Refers to a household that describes at least one member as has having a condition they believe to be disabling.

Employment Status - Refers to individuals who described their or their family's income as coming from employment. Employed persons can include those working for others or who are self-employed, as well as those working full time, part time, or seasonal.

Geographic Location - Refers to the county and/or zip code area the household describes their home as being located in. When looking at geographic regions within a county it is important to remember that the location (such as 99344-Othello or Moses Lake) is based on "zip code". Zip codes include both households located inside and outside city limits. For Grant County, see the "Maps" section of the report to determine which zip codes are included in the North, Middle, and South categories.

High school education or less - Refers to the highest level of education completed by the head of household. Completing high school can also include obtaining a GED.

Home Owner - Refers to a person who is buying or who has paid for the home in which they reside.

Living Arrangement - Refers to the way individuals categorized the structure of their home. The options provided on the questionnaire were single with no children, single with children, married with no children, married with children, and other. Examples of living arrangements that could be described as Other include non-married heterosexual or homosexual couples who are living together and individuals who are widowed.

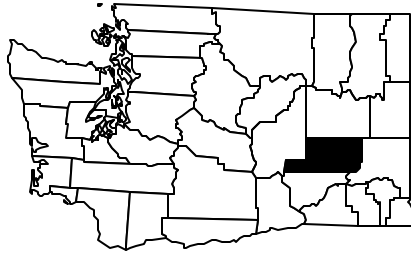
More than a high school education - Refers to the head of the household having completed at least some college or obtaining either an AA, undergraduate, or graduate degree from a university or college.

Non-senior - Refers to a household that describes itself as having no members age 65 or older.

Non-disabled - Refers to a household that describes itself as having no members who are disabled.

Senior - Refers to a household that describes at least one member as being age 65 or older.

Profiles of Daily Living Adams County



Basic Needs

Overall

The Question

Have you found it difficult to make a living and provide for your basic needs in the past year?

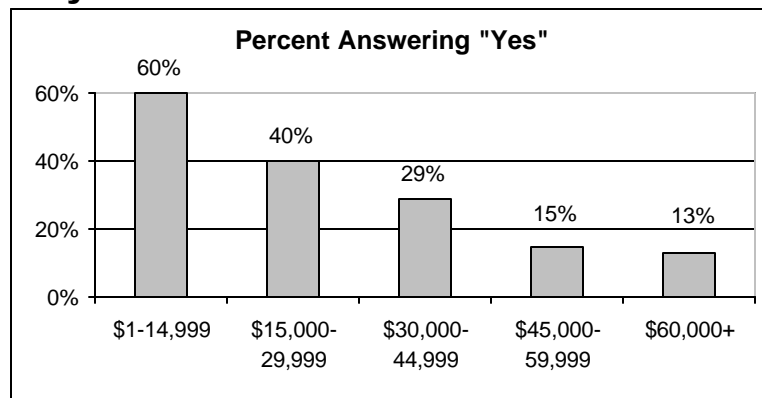
27% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
73% said "No"

(A total of 417 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

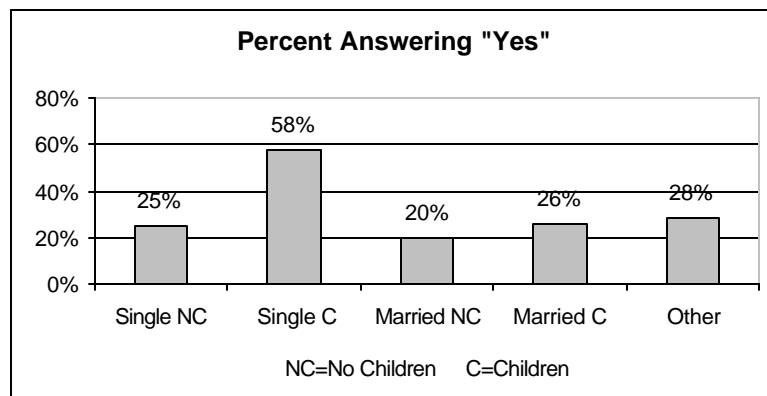
When different types of people living within Adams County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Nearly **3 in 5** households with an income of \$14,999 or less said "Yes" to the question.

... By Living Arrangement



Single person households with children were **more likely** than any other group to answer "Yes" to this question.

... By Geography

Individuals who lived in the 99344-Othello zip code were **more likely** than those who lived in other Adams County zip codes to answer "Yes" to the question.

30% of 99344-Othello Adams County residents answered "Yes"
24% of residents in other county zip code said "Yes"

Basic Needs

Food

The Question

Have you had to go without food or been concerned about having enough food for yourself and/or your family in the past year?

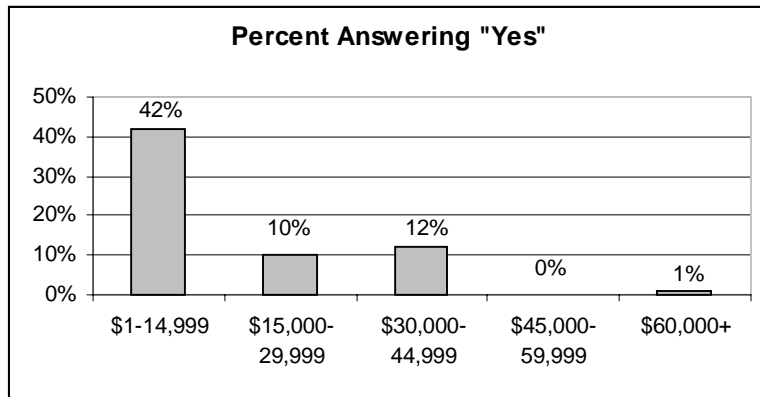
10% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
90% said "No"

(A total of 432 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

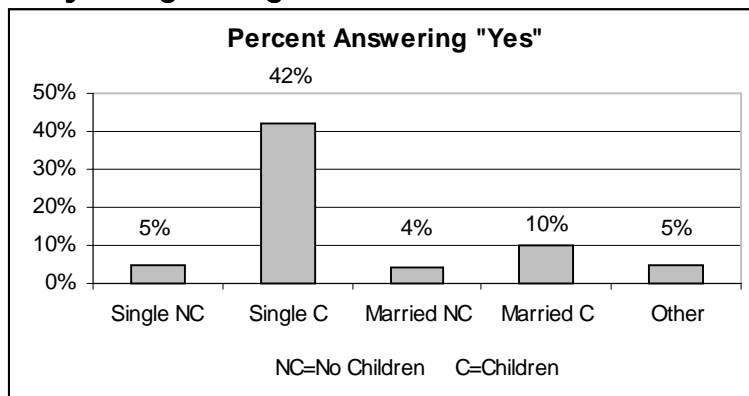
When different types of people living within Adams County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Households with an income of \$14,999 or less were **more likely** than any other group to answer "Yes" to the question.

... By Living Arrangement



Single person households with children were **more likely** than all other groups to answer "Yes" to this question.

... By Geography

Individuals who lived in the 99344-Othello zip code were **more likely** than those who lived in other Adams County zip codes to answer "Yes" to the question.

12% of 99344-Othello Adams County residents answered "Yes"
6% of residents in other county zip code said "Yes"

Basic Needs

Clothing

The Question

Do you have adequate clothing for yourself and/or your family?

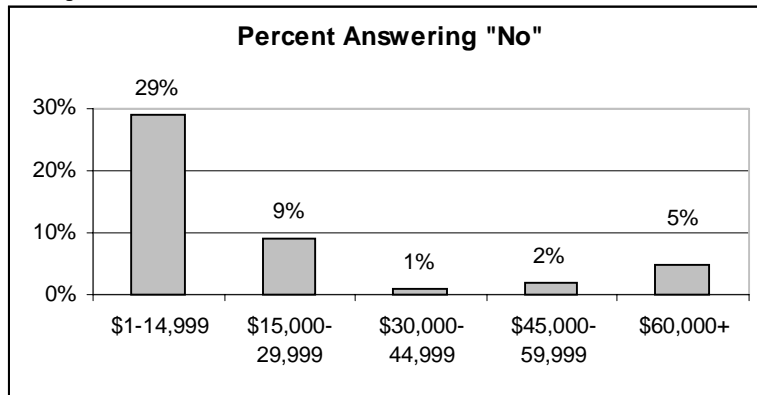
93% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
7% said "No"

(A total of 427 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

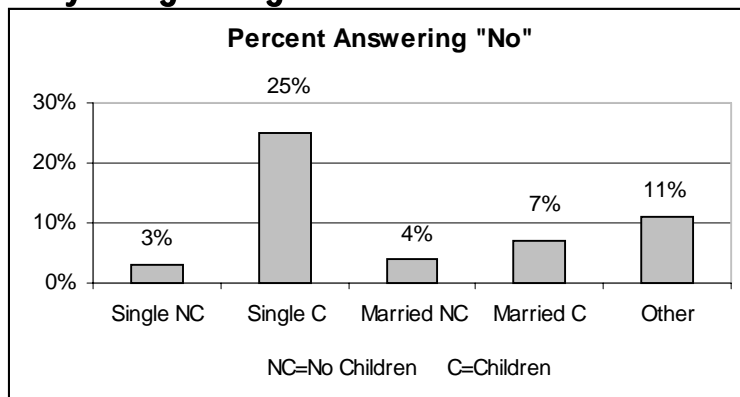
When different types of people living within Adams County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Nearly **1 in 3** households with an income of \$14,999 or less answered "No" to the question.

... By Living Arrangement



Single person households with children were **more likely** than any other group to answer "No" to this question. Nearly **1 in 4** of these households said "No".

... By Geography

Individuals who lived in the 99344-Othello zip code were **more likely** than those who lived in other Adams County zip codes to answer "No" to the question.

8% of 99344-Othello Adams County residents answered "No"
5% of residents in other county zip code said "No"

Basic Needs

Shelter

The Question

Have you had difficulty finding a place to live in the past year?

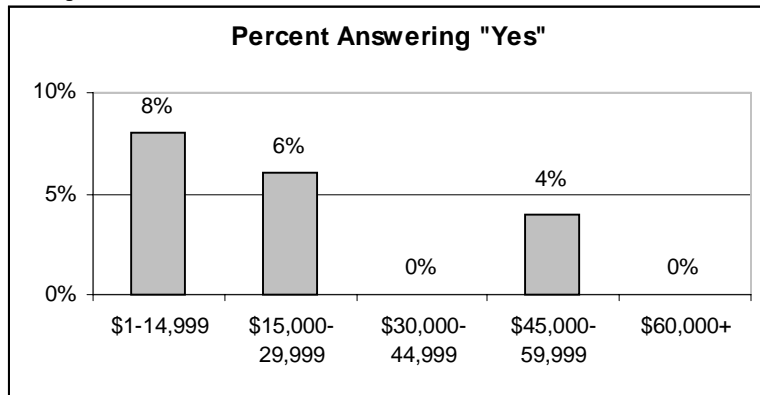
2% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
98% said "No"

(A total of 408 people from the county answered this survey question)

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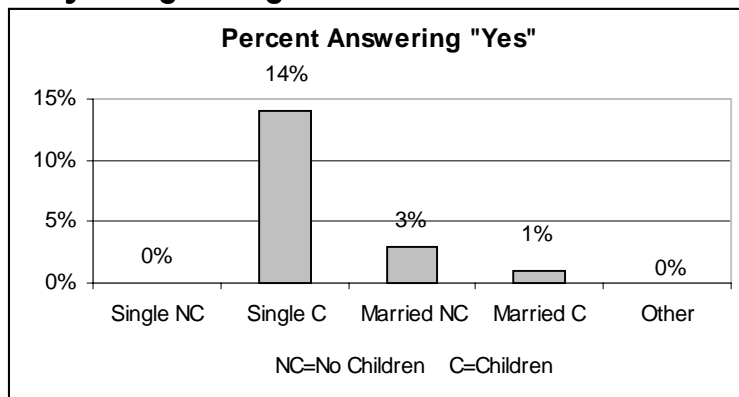
When different types of people living within Adams County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Households making under \$14,999 were **more likely** than other groups to answer "Yes" to the question.

... By Living Arrangement



Households headed by a single person with children was **more likely** than any other group to answer "Yes".

... By Geography

Individuals who lived in the 99344-Othello zip code were **more likely** than those who lived in other Adams County zip codes to answer "Yes" to the question.

4% of 99344-Othello Adams County residents answered "Yes"
1% of residents in other county zip code said "Yes"

Basic Needs

Transportation

The Question

Do you and/or your family frequently have trouble getting to the places you need to go because of transportation problems?

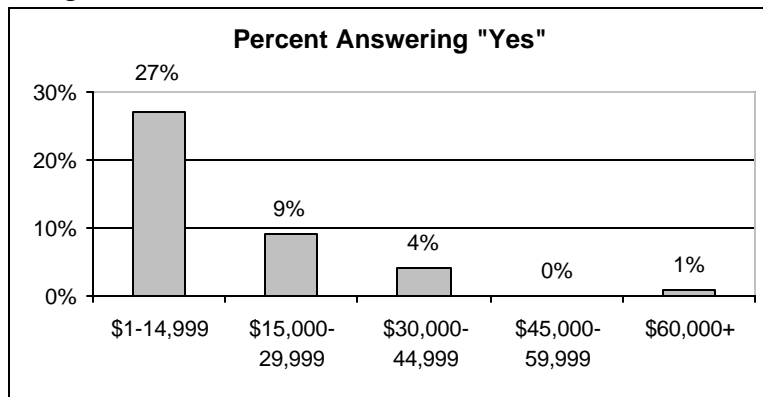
6% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
94% said "No"

(A total of 423 people from the county answered this survey question)

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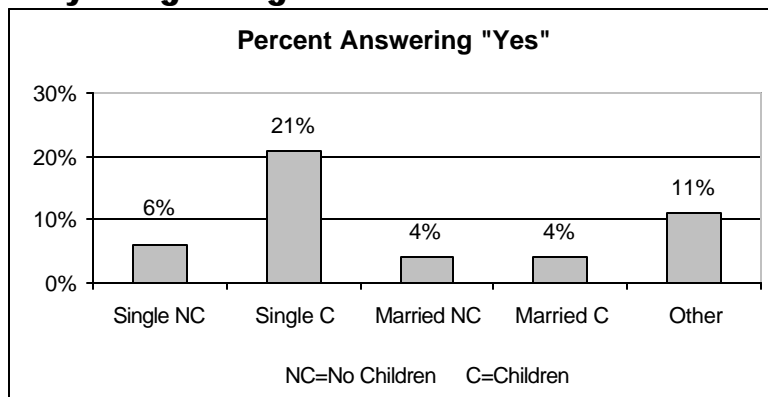
When different types of people living within Adams County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Approximately **1 in 4**, 27% of households with an income of \$14,999 or less said "Yes" to the question.

... By Living Arrangement



Single person households with children were **more likely** than any other group to answer "Yes" to this question. **1 in 5** single person households with children said "Yes".

... By Geography

Individuals who lived in the 99344-Othello zip code were **more likely** than those who lived in other Adams County zip codes to answer "Yes" to the question.

7% of 99344-Othello Adams County residents answered "Yes"
5% of residents in other county zip code said "Yes"

Basic Needs

Health Insurance

The Question

Does every family member in the home have some form of medical or health insurance?

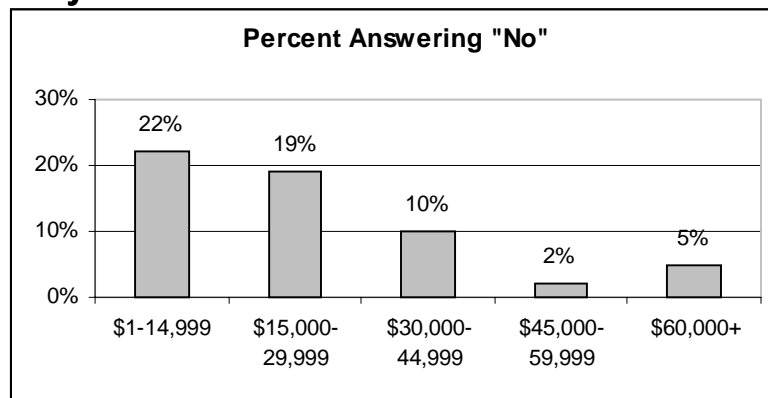
89% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
11% said "No"

(A total of 424 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

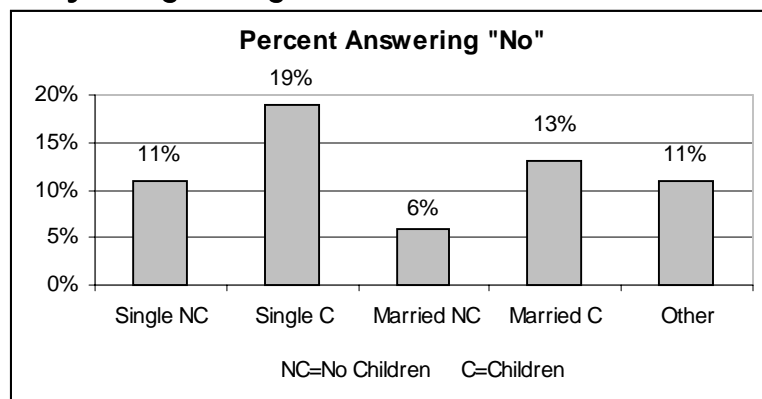
When different types of people living within Adams County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Households making \$14,999 or less were more than **twice as likely** as all county households to answer "No" to the question (22% compared to 11%).

... By Living Arrangement



Households headed by a single person with children was **more likely** than any other group to answer "No". Nearly **1 in 5**, 19% of these households said "No".

... By Geography

Individuals who lived in the 99344-Othello zip code were **more likely** than those who lived in other Adams County zip codes to answer "No" to the question.

14% of 99344-Othello Adams County residents answered "No"
7% of residents in other county zip code said "No"

Basic Needs

Going Without

The Question

As a result of your financial situation have you and/or your family had to go without any of the following in the last year?

Medical Care

12% of all Adams County households said "Yes"
88% said "No"

(A total of 365 people from the county answered this survey question)

Insurance

9% of all Adams County households said "Yes"
11% said "No"

(A total of 359 people from the county answered this survey question)

Prescription Medicine

9% of all Adams County households said "Yes"
91% said "No"

(A total of 326 people from the county answered this survey question)

Clothing

8% of all Adams County households said "Yes"
92% said "No"

(A total of 358 people from the county answered this survey question)

Dental Care

22% of all Adams County households said "Yes"
78% said "No"

(A total of 376 people from the county answered this survey question)

Paying Certain Bills

23% of all Adams County households said "Yes"
77% said "No"

(A total of 372 people from the county answered this survey question)

Food

5% of all Adams County households said "Yes"
95% said "No"

(A total of 354 people from the county answered this survey question)

Child Care

9% of all Adams County households said "Yes"
91% said "No"

(A total of 128 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on households with children age 0-17)

Utilities

2% of all Adams County households said "Yes"
98% said "No"

(A total of 352 people from the county answered this survey question)

Quality of Life

Stable Employment

The Question

Do you see your employment as being stable over the next year?

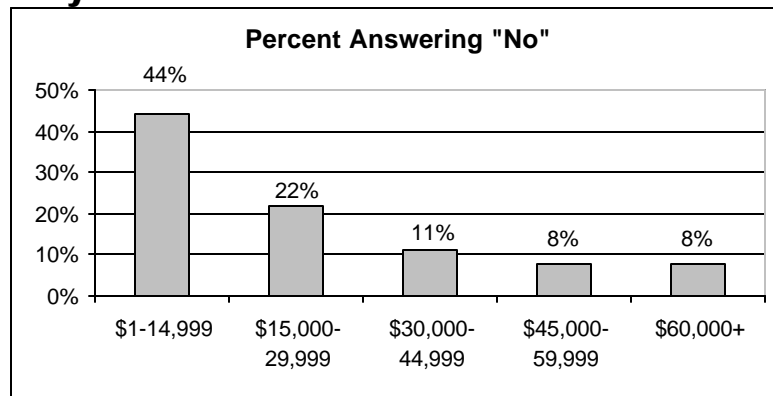
84% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
16% said "No"

(A total of 300 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on working adults only)

The Difference

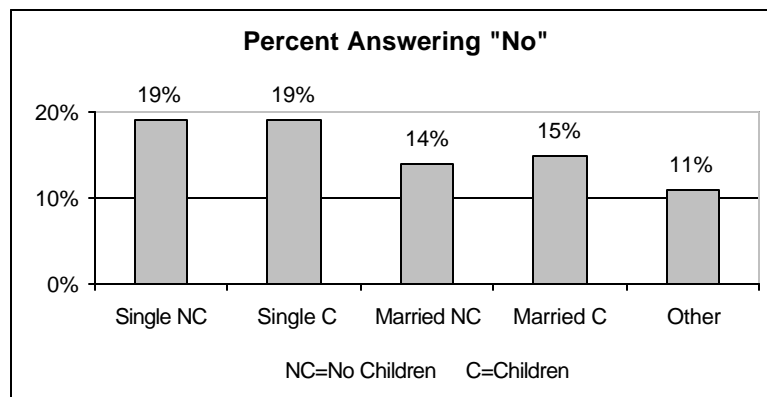
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... By Annual Income



Approximately **2 in 5** households with an income of \$14,999 or less said "No" to the question. Households in the \$14,999 or less income bracket were **three times as likely** as all county households to say "No" (44% compared to 16%).

... By Living Arrangement



Single person households with and without children were **more likely** than other groups to answer "No" to the question.

... By Geography

Individuals who lived in the 99344-Othello zip code were **more likely** than those who lived in other Adams County zip codes to answer "No" to the question.

19% of 99344-Othello Adams County residents answered "No"
12% of residents in other county zip code said "No"

Quality of Life

More than 1 Job

The Question

Do any of the working adults have more than one job?

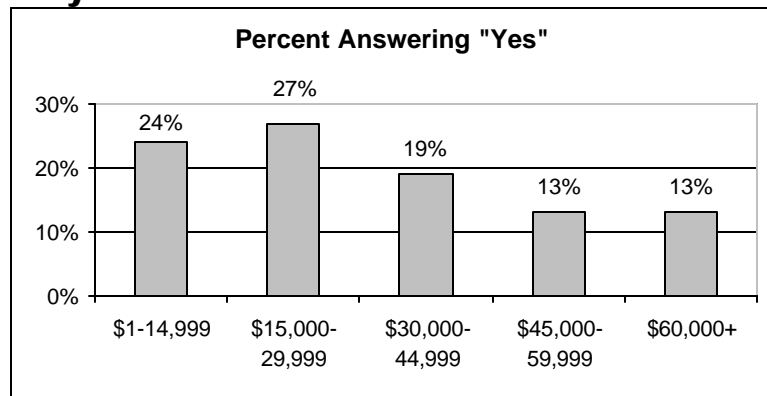
19% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
81% said "No"

(A total of 302 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on working adults only)

The Difference

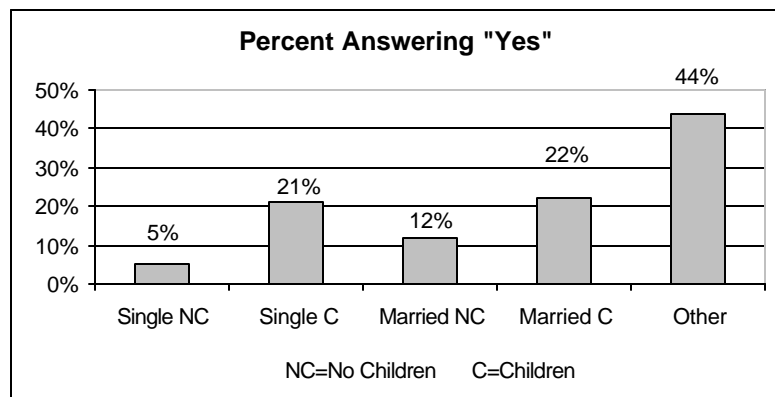
When different types of people living within Adams County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Households with an income of \$15,000-29,999 were **more likely** than any other group to answer "Yes" to the question. Nearly **1 in 4** households with an income of \$14,999 or less said "Yes".

... By Living Arrangement



Households described as other were **more likely** to answer "Yes" to the question.

... By Geography

Individuals who lived in the 99344-Othello zip code were **less likely** than those who lived in other Adams County zip codes to answer "Yes" to the question.

16% of 99344-Othello Adams County residents answered "Yes"
22% of residents in other county zip code said "Yes"

Quality of Life

Employment Barriers

The Question

Has your educational level, transportation or child care issues affected your getting a job or keeping a job?

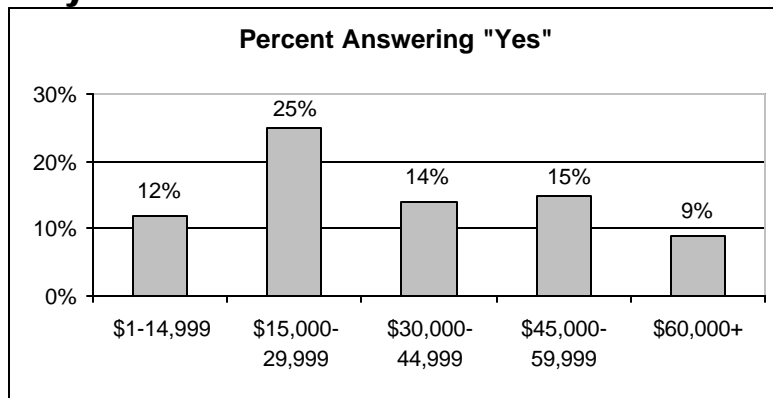
13% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
87% said "No"

(A total of 405 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

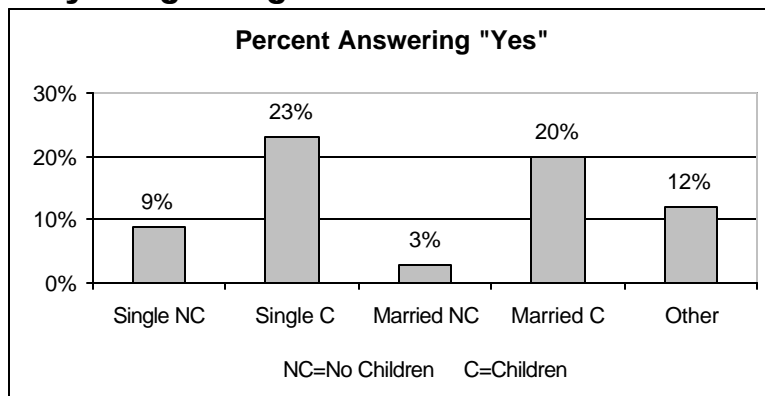
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Households with an income of \$15,000-29,999 were **more likely** than any other group to answer "Yes" to the question.

... By Living Arrangement



Nearly **1 in 4** single person households with children said "Yes" to the question. **1 in 5** married couple households with children said "Yes".

... By Geography

Individuals who lived in the 99344-Othello zip code were **more likely** than those who lived in other Adams County zip codes to answer "Yes" to the question.

15% of 99344-Othello Adams County residents answered "Yes"
10% of residents in other county zip code said "Yes"

Quality of Life

Financial Crisis

The Question

In the last year have you and/or your family had to deal with a financial crisis?

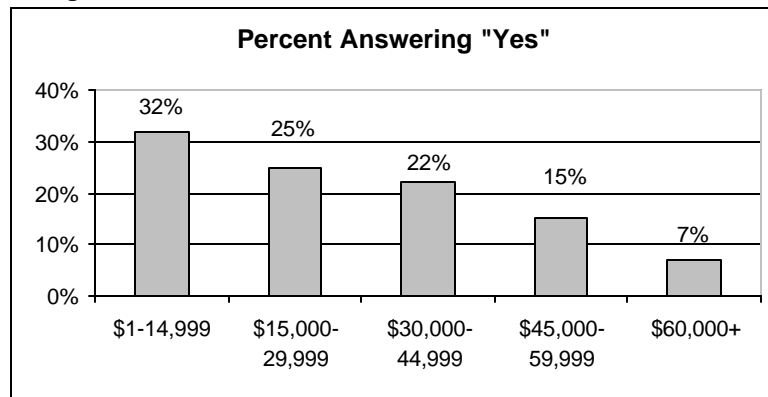
19% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
81% said "No"

(A total of 390 people from the county answered this survey question)

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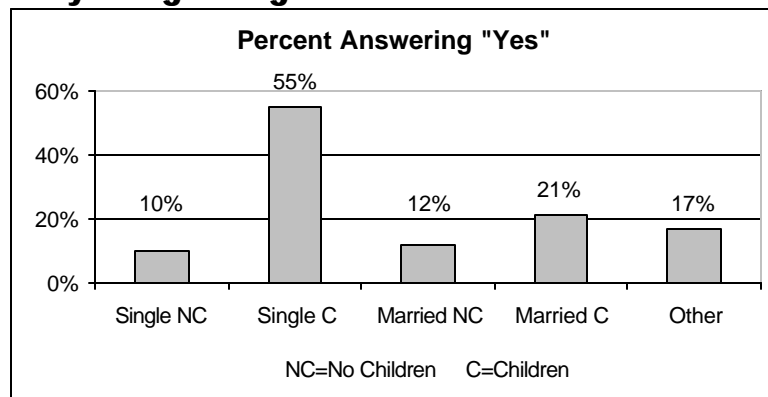
When different types of people living within Adams County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Nearly **1 in 3** households with an income of \$14,999 or less answered "Yes" to the question.
1 in 4 with an income of \$15,000-29,999 answered "Yes".

... By Living Arrangement



Single person households with children were **more likely** than any other group to answer "Yes" to this question.

... By Geography

Individuals who lived in the 99344-Othello zip code were **more likely** than those who lived in other Adams County zip codes to answer "Yes" to the question.

22% of 99344-Othello Adams County residents answered "Yes"
14% of residents in other county zip code said "Yes"

Quality of Life

Financial Cushion

The Question

After you pay your bills, do you have money to set aside and save?

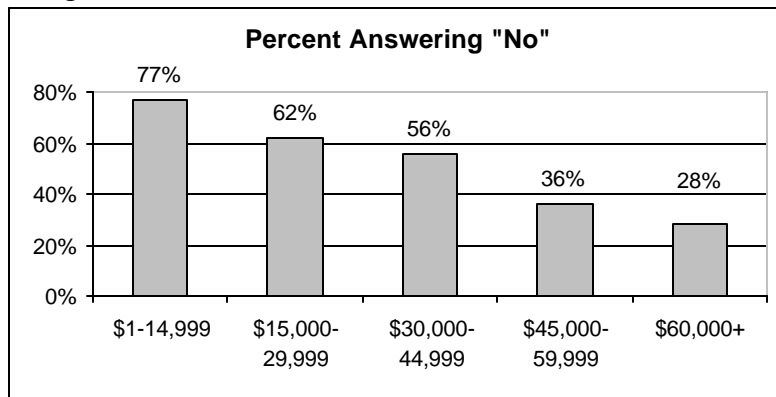
50% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
50% said "No"

(A total of 642 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

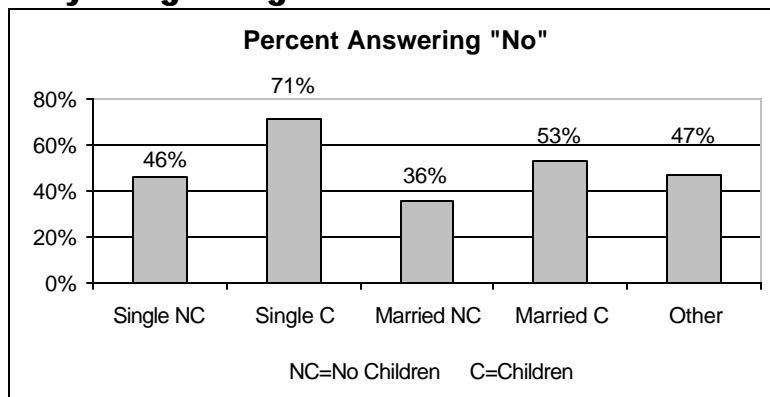
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... By Annual Income



Households with an income of \$14,999 or less were **more likely** than any other group to say "No" to the question.

... By Living Arrangement



Single person households with children were **more likely** than any other group to answer "No" to this question. Nearly **3 in 4** single person with children households said "No".

... By Geography

Individuals who lived in the 99344-Othello zip code were **almost as likely** as those who lived in other Adams County zip codes to answer "No" to the question.

51% of 99344-Othello Adams County residents answered "No"
52% of residents in other county zip code said "No"

Quality of Life

Debt

The Question

Do you and/or your family have outstanding financial debts (not counting home or vehicle loans)?

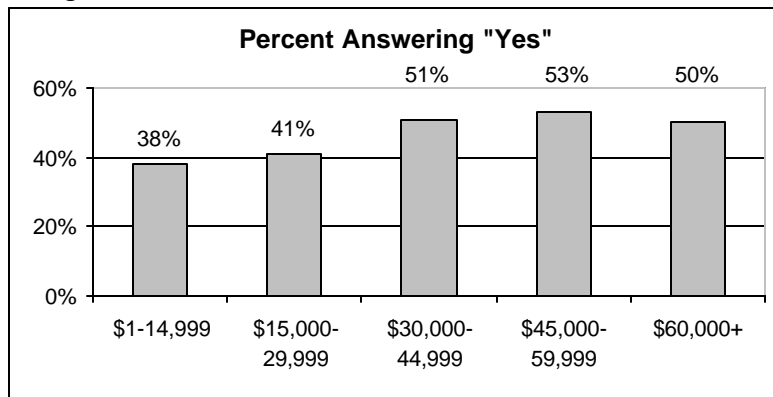
44% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
56% said "No"

(A total of 418 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

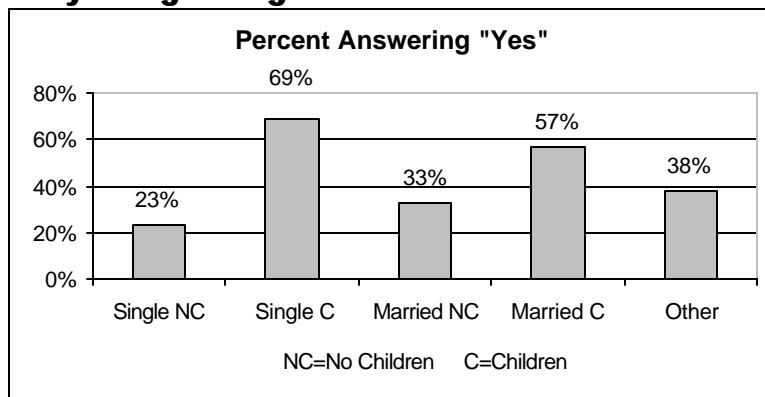
When different types of people living within Adams County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Households with an income of \$45,000-59,999 were **more likely** than other groups to say "Yes" to the question. **1 in 2** households in this income bracket, as well as those with an income of \$30,000-44,999 and \$60,000 or more said "Yes".

... By Living Arrangement



Single person households with children were **more likely** than any other group to answer "Yes" to this question.

... By Geography

Individuals who lived in the 99344-Othello zip code were **more likely** than those who lived in other Adams County zip codes to answer "Yes" to the question.

49% of 99344-Othello Adams County residents answered "Yes"
38% of residents in other county zip code said "Yes"

Quality of Life

Monthly Debt

The Question

Do you and/or your family have outstanding financial debts (not counting home or vehicle loans)?
If you answered yes, how much do you spend per month to pay for the debt?

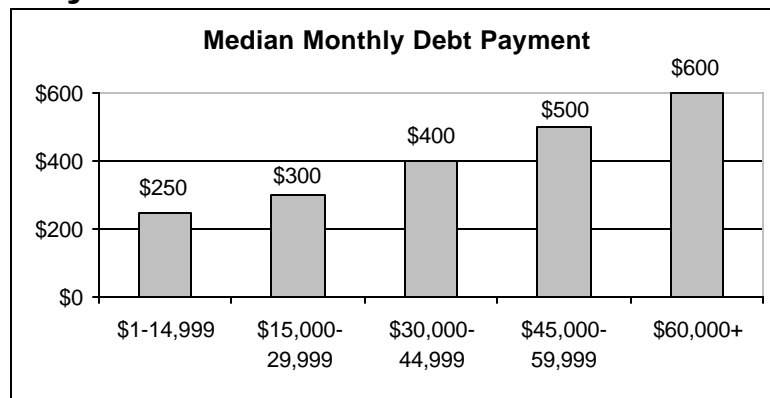
Of all Adams County households answering "Yes" the
median monthly debt payment was **\$400**

(Based on households with outstanding debt)

The Difference

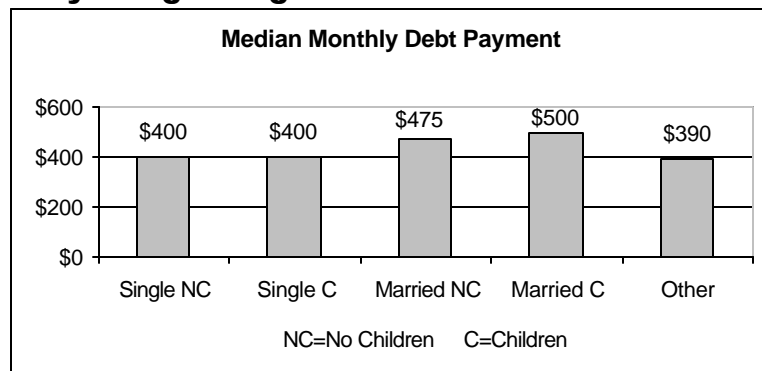
When different types of people living within Adams County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Households with an income of \$60,000 or more had the **highest** median monthly debt payment compared to all income brackets.

... By Living Arrangement



Married households with children had the **highest** median monthly debt payment when compared to all other groups.

... By Geography

Individuals who lived in the 99344-Othello zip code had the **same** median monthly debt payment compared to those who lived in other Adams County zip codes.

Median monthly debt payment of 99344-Othello Adams County residents **\$400**
For residents in other county zip code it was **\$400**

Quality of Life

Medical Care

The Question

Do you and/or all of your family members have a doctor or medical clinic you can regularly be seen at and afford to visit?

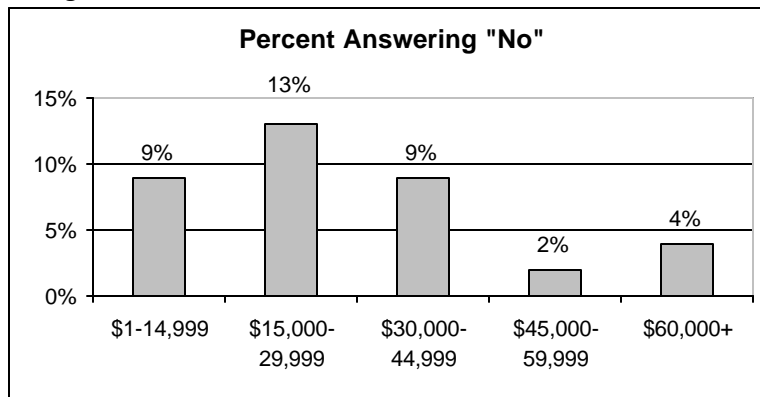
93% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
7% said "No"

(A total of 417 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

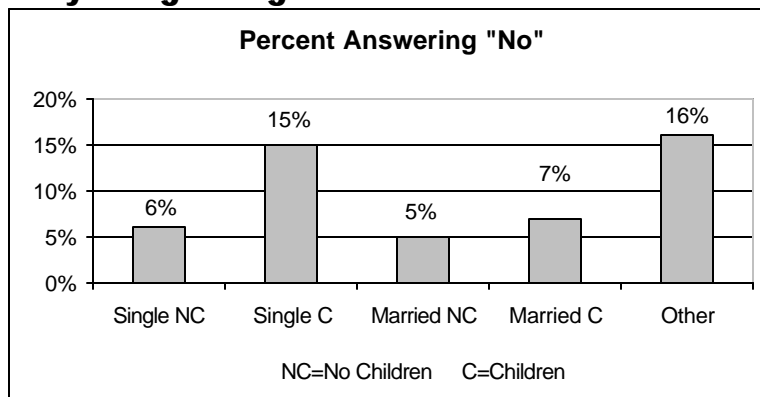
When different types of people living within Adams County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Households with an income of \$15,000-29,999 were nearly **twice as likely** as all county households to say "No" to the question (13% compared to 7%).

... By Living Arrangement



Households described as Other were **more likely** than other groups to answer "No" to the question. However, the percentage of single person households with children responding "No" was **more than twice** that of all county residents (15% compared to 7%).

... By Geography

Individuals who lived in the 99344-Othello zip code were **more likely** than those who lived in other Adams County zip codes to answer "No" to the question.

9% of 99344-Othello Adams County residents answered "No"
4% of residents in other county zip code said "No"

Quality of Life

Dental Care

The Question

Do you and/or all of your family members have a dentist or dental clinic you can regularly be seen at and afford to visit?

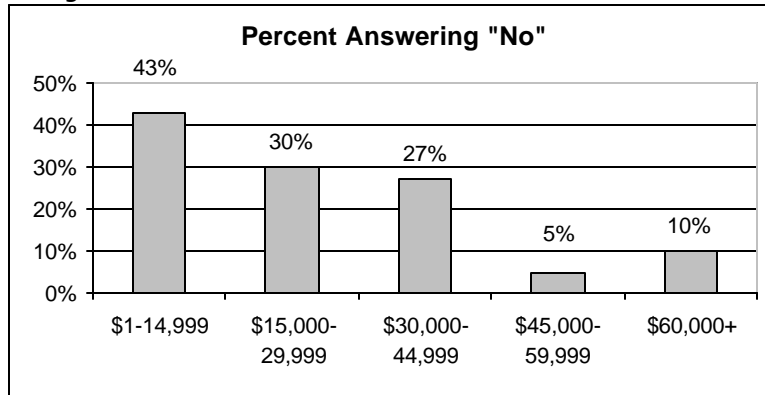
71% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
19% said "No"

(A total of 420 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

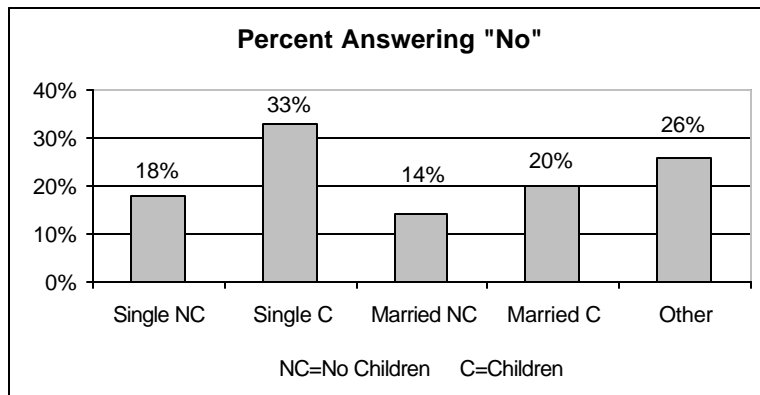
When different types of people living within Adams County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Households with an income of \$14,999 or less were **more likely** than all other groups to answer "No" to the question.

... By Living Arrangement



1 in 3 single person households with children said "No" to the question.

... By Geography

Individuals who lived in the 99344-Othello zip code were **more likely** than those who lived in other Adams County zip codes to answer "No" to the question.

24% of 99344-Othello Adams County residents answered "No"
13% of residents in other county zip code said "No"

Quality of Life

Preventative Care

The Question

In the last year have you and/or your family been to a doctor or clinic for preventative health check ups?

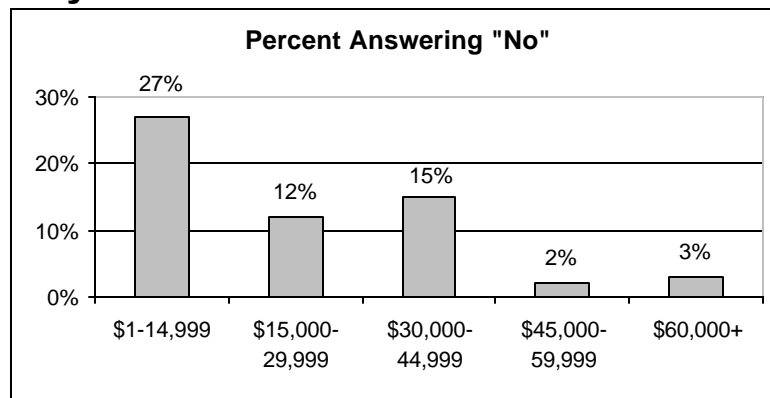
75% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
8% said "No"
17% said "Some"

(A total of 428 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

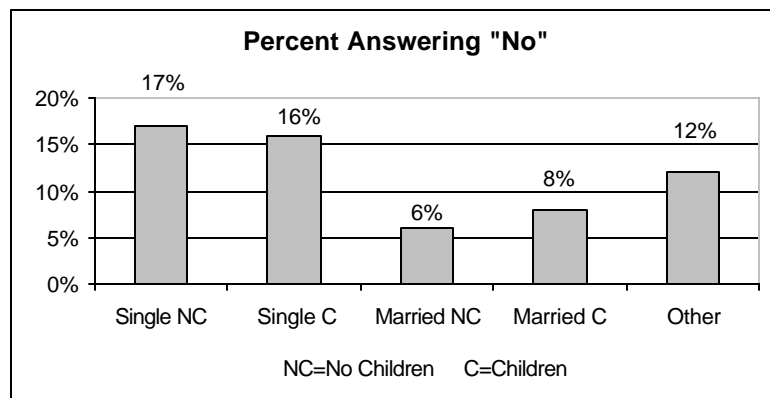
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... By Annual Income



Households with an income of \$14,999 or less were **more likely** than any other group to say "No" to the question.

... By Living Arrangement



Single person households without children were **more likely** than other groups to answer "No" to the question.

... By Geography

Individuals who lived in the 99344-Othello zip code were **more likely** than those who lived in other Adams County zip codes to answer "No" to the question.

12% of 99344-Othello Adams County residents answered "No"
6% of residents in other county zip code said "No"

Quality of Life

Health Crisis

The Question

In the last year have you and/or your family had to deal with a health crisis?

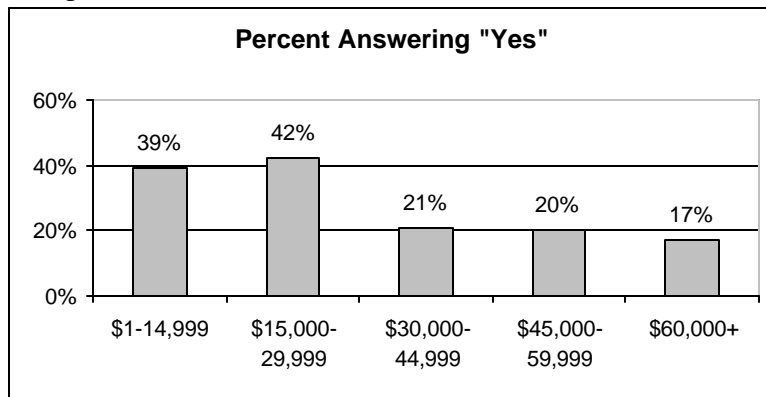
26% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
74% said "No"

(A total of 395 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

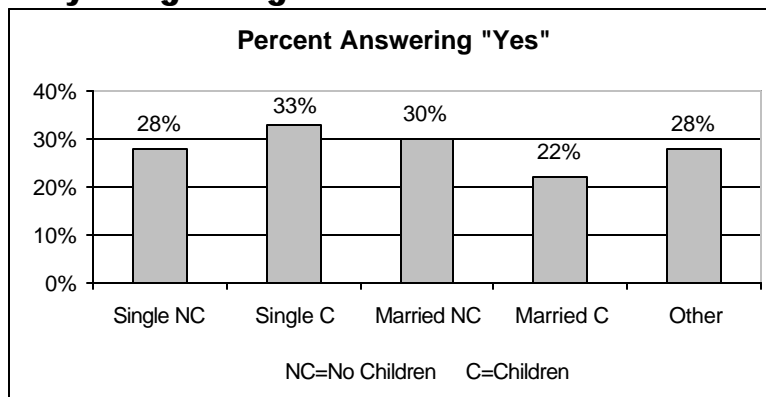
When different types of people living within Adams County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Households with an income of \$15,000-29,999 were **more likely** than any other group to say "Yes" to the question. However, a large portion of households making \$14,999 or less also said "Yes".

... By Living Arrangement



1 in 3 single person households with children answered "Yes" to the question.

... By Geography

Individuals who lived in the 99344-Othello zip code were **more likely** than those who lived in other Adams County zip codes to answer "Yes" to the question.

26% of 99344-Othello Adams County residents answered "Yes"
17% of residents in other county zip code said "Yes"

Quality of Life

Family Crisis

The Question

In the last year have you and/or your family had to deal with a family crisis?

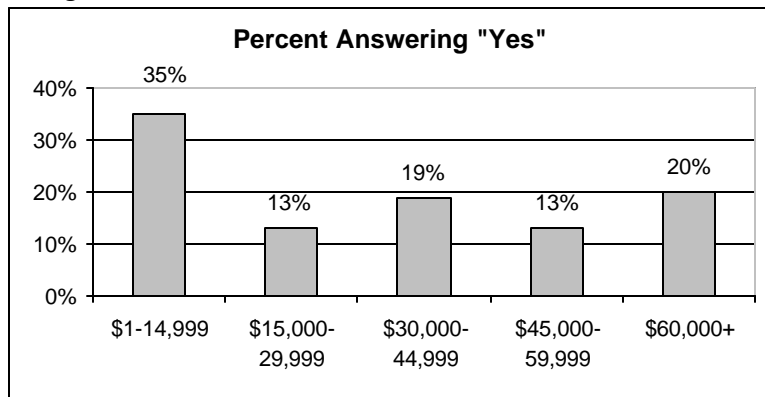
18% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
82% said "No"

(A total of 385 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

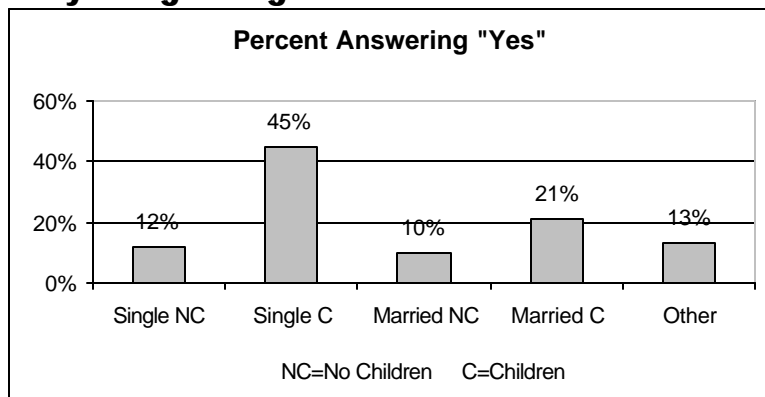
When different types of people living within Adams County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



1 in 3 households with an income of \$14,999 or less answered "Yes" to the question.

... By Living Arrangement



Single person households with children were **more likely** than all other groups to say "Yes" to the question.

... By Geography

Individuals who lived in the 99344-Othello zip code were **more likely** than those who lived in other Adams County zip codes to answer "Yes" to the question.

21% of 99344-Othello Adams County residents answered "Yes"
14% of residents in other county zip code said "Yes"

Children in Trouble

... The Question

Have any of the children in your family been in trouble at school in the last year (such as missing too much school, getting suspended or in fights)?

7% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
93% said "No"

(A total of 136 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on households with children age 5-17)

... The Question

If you have children at home, have they been in trouble with the police or the courts in the last year?

2% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
98% said "No"

(A total of 155 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on households with children)

Out of School Time

... The Question

(If there are children between the ages of 8-14 in the family:)
Do all of them have an adult regularly watching them or supervising their after-school activities?

77% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
23% said "No"

(A total of 87 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on households with children in the specified age group)

... The Question

(If there are children between the ages of 15-17 in the family:)
Do you have any concerns about how they are spending their out of school time?

21% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
79% said "No"

(A total of 63 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on households with children in the specified age group)

Activity Involvement

... The Question

(If there are children between the ages of 8-14 in the family:)

Do any of them participate in organized after-school activities through a school or other community organization?

63% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
37% said "No"

(A total of 88 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on households with children in the specified age group)

... The Question

(If there are children between the ages of 15-17 in the family:)

Do any of them participate in organized after-school activities through a school or other community organization?

67% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
33% said "No"

(A total of 61 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on households with children in the specified age group)

Educational Involvement

... The Question

(If there are children between the ages of 3-5 in the family:)

Are any of them attending preschool?

36% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
64% said "No"

(A total of 78 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on households with children in the specified age group)

... The Question

(If there are children between the ages of 5-17 in the family:)

Are they regularly attending school?

95% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
5% said "No"

(A total of 137 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on households with children in the specified age group)

Quality of Life

Social Support

The Question

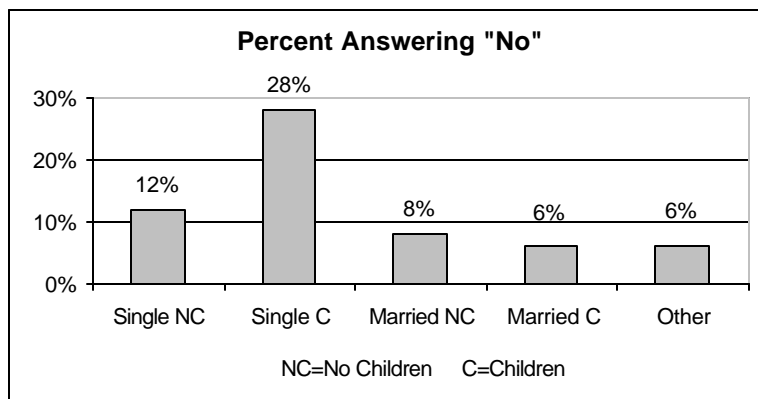
Do you have someone in your life who: Could help you deal with a personal problem?

90% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
10% said "No"

(A total of 420 people from the county answered this survey question)

When different types of people living within Adams County are compared to each other...

... By Living Arrangement



Single person households with children were **more likely** than other groups to answer "No" to the question.

The Question

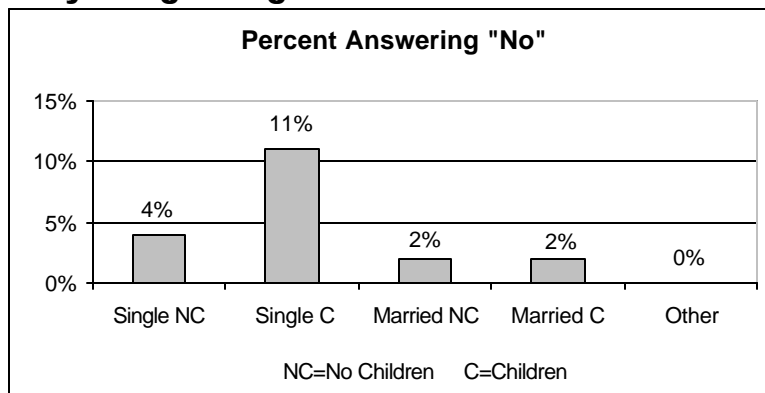
Do you have someone in your life who: Could take you to the doctor if you needed it?

97% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
3% said "No"

(A total of 417 people from the county answered this survey question)

When different types of people living within Adams County are compared to each other...

... By Living Arrangement



Single person households with children were **more likely** than other groups to answer "No" to the question.

The Question

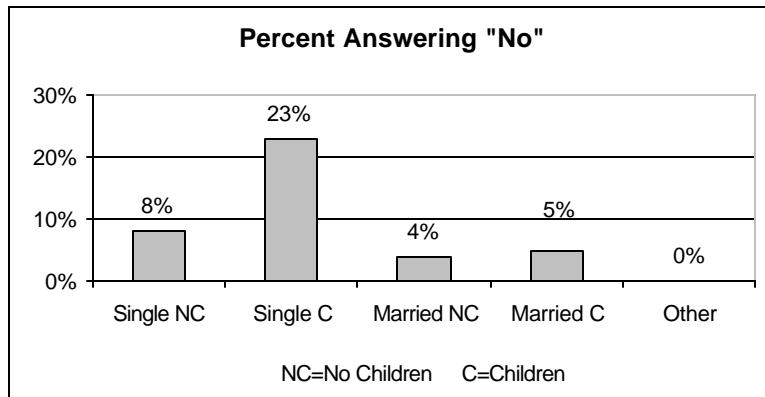
Do you have someone in your life who: You can confide in or talk to?

94% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
6% said "No"

(A total of 419 people from the county answered this survey question)

When different types of people living within Adams County are compared to each other...

... By Living Arrangement



Single person households with children were **more likely** than other groups to answer "No" to the question. Nearly **1 in 4** single person households with children answered "No".

The Question

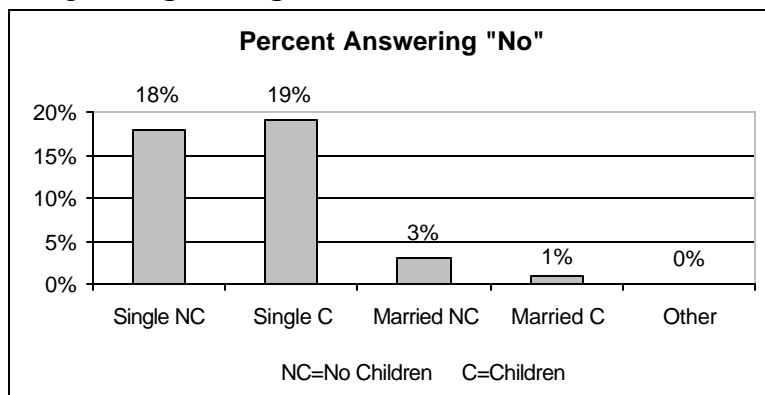
Do you have someone in your life who: Makes you feel loved and wanted?

95% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
5% said "No"

(A total of 412 people from the county answered this survey question)

When different types of people living within Adams County are compared to each other...

... By Living Arrangement



Single person households with and without children were **more likely** than other groups to answer "No" to the question.

The Question

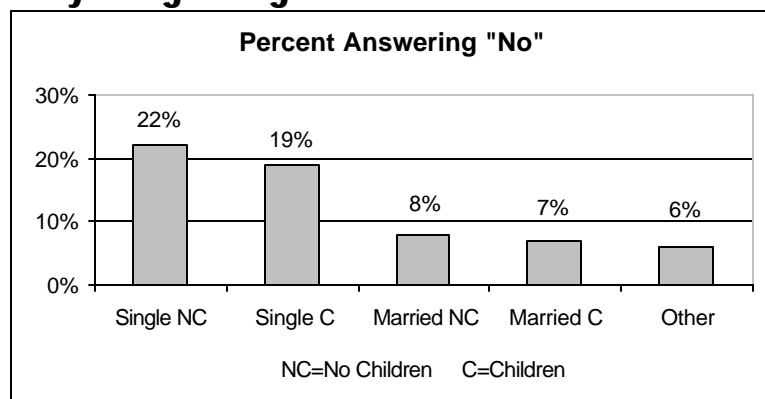
Do you have someone in your life who: Could help you if you were sick and unable to do daily chores?

89% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
11% said "No"

(A total of 407 people from the county answered this survey question)

When different types of people living within Adams County are compared to each other...

... By Living Arrangement



Single person households without children were **more likely** than other groups to answer "No" to the question.

Quick Comparisons

(Do you have someone in your life who:)
Could help you deal with a personal problem?

99344 - Othello = 11% compared to Other Zip = 8%

Individuals who lived in the 99344-Othello zip code were **more likely** than those who lived in other Adams County zip codes to answer "No" to the question.

Could take you to the doctor if you needed it?

99344 - Othello = 2% compared to Other Zip = 4%

Individuals who lived in the 99344-Othello zip code were **less likely** than those who lived in other Adams County zip codes to answer "No" to the question.

You can confide in or talk to?

99344 - Othello = 7% compared to Other Zip = 6%

Individuals who lived in the 99344-Othello zip code were **almost as likely as** those who lived in other Adams County zip codes to answer "No" to the question.

Makes you feel loved and wanted?

99344 - Othello = 4% compared to Other Zip = 7%

Individuals who lived in the 99344-Othello zip code were **less likely** than those who lived in other Adams County zip codes to answer "No" to the question.

Could help you if you were sick and unable to do daily chores?

99344 - Othello = 11% compared to Other Zip = 10%

Individuals who lived in the 99344-Othello zip code were **almost as likely as** those who lived in other Adams County zip codes to answer "No" to the question.

Quality of Life

Perceived Inequity

The Question

Have you or anyone in your family been denied housing or a job because of race, sex, age, or economic background?

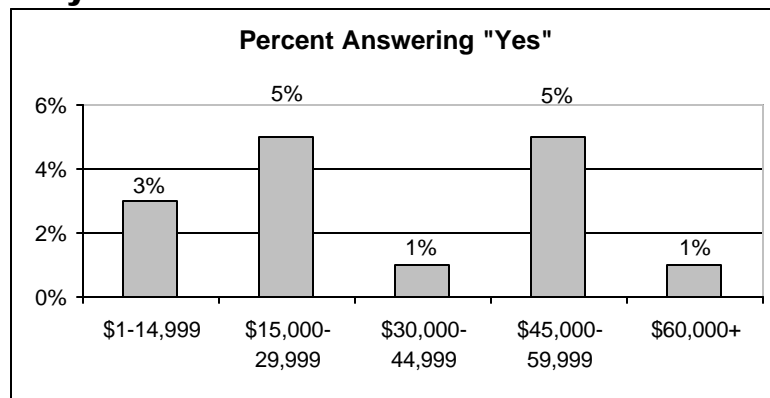
3% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
97% said "No"

(A total of 421 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

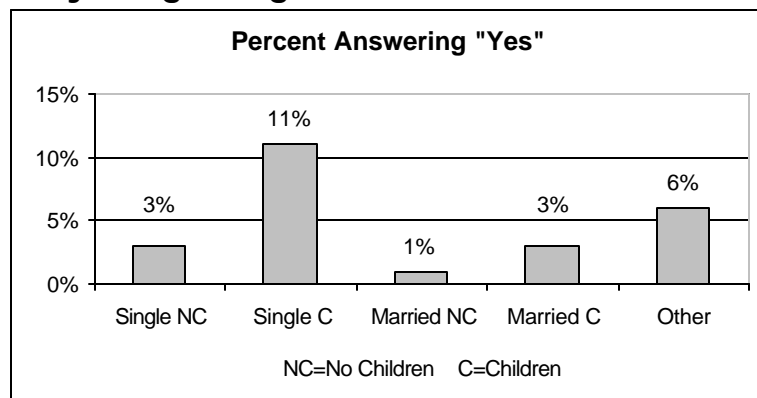
When different types of people living within Adams County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Households with an income of \$15,000-29,999 and \$45,000-59,999 were **more likely** than other groups to answer "Yes" to the question.

... By Living Arrangement



Single person households with children were **more likely** than any other group to answer "Yes" to this question.

... By Race or Ethnicity

Individuals who identified themselves as Non-White (Asian, American Indian, Black, Hispanic and Other than White) were **more likely** than people who identified themselves as White to answer "Yes" to the question.

8% of Non-White Adams County residents answered "Yes"
3% of White residents said "Yes"

The Question

Has your ethnic or cultural background negatively affected or made it difficult for you and/or your family to receive help from local services and organizations?

7% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
93% said "No"

(A total of 411 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

When different types of people living within Adams County are compared to each other...

... By Race or Ethnicity

Individuals who identified themselves as Non-White (Asian, American Indian, Black, Hispanic and Other than White) were **more likely** than people who identified themselves as White to answer "Yes" to the question.

12% of Non-White Adams County residents answered "Yes"
5% of White residents said "Yes"

Quality of Life

Self Improvement

The Question

Do you and/or any other adult member of your family hope to return to school for further education over the next year?

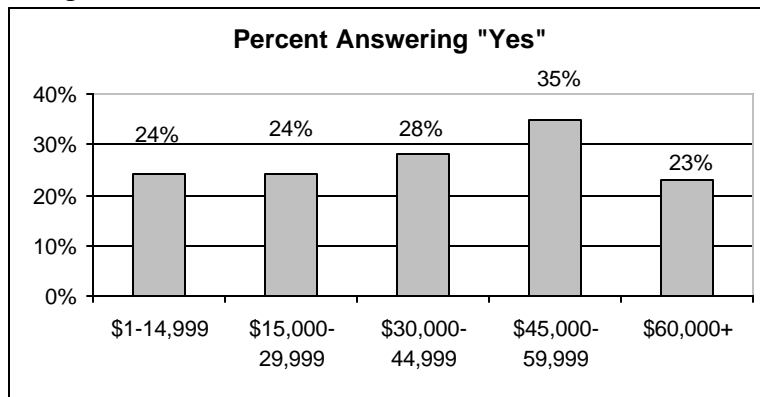
23% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
77% said "No"

(A total of 418 people from the county answered this survey question)

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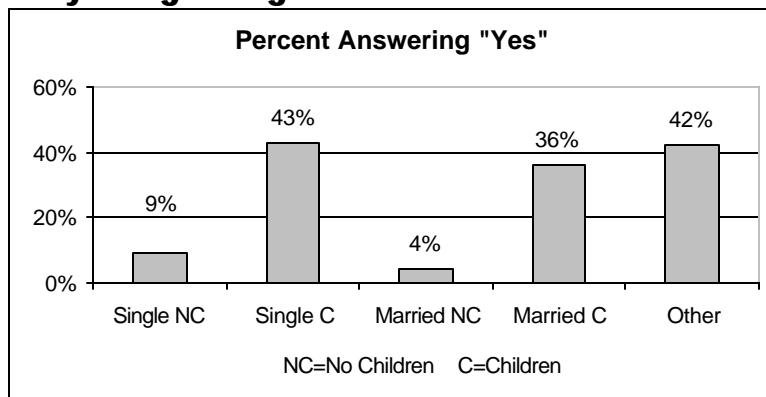
When different types of people living within Adams County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Households with an income of \$45,000-59,999 were **more likely** than any other group to say "Yes" to the question. However, a large portion of other income bracket groups also said "Yes".

... By Living Arrangement



Single person households with children were **more likely** than other groups to answer "Yes" to the question, followed closely by households described as Other.

... By Geography

Individuals who lived in the 99344-Othello zip code were **more likely** than those who lived in other Adams County zip codes to answer "No" to the question.

27% of 99344-Othello Adams County residents answered "No"
19% of residents in other county zip code said "No"

Quality of Life

Safe Home

The Question

Do you feel safe in your home?

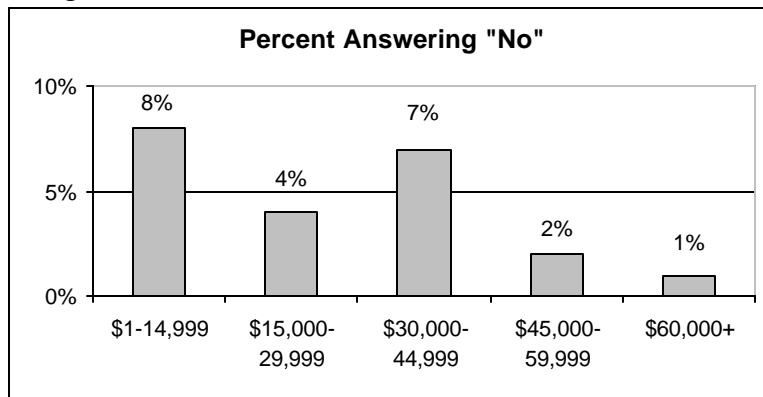
96% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
4% said "No"

(A total of 428 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

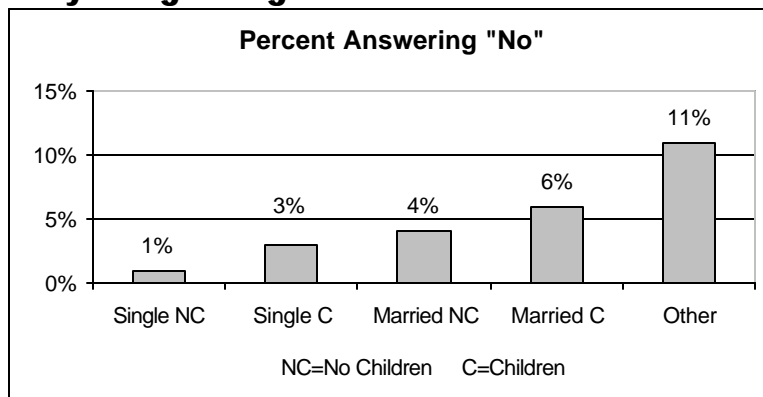
When different types of people living within Adams County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Households with an income of \$14,999 or less were **more likely** than any other group to say "No" to the question, followed closely by households with an income of \$30,000-49,999.

... By Living Arrangement



Households described as Other were **more likely** than other groups to say "No" to the question.

... By Geography

Individuals who lived in the 99344-Othello zip code were **more likely** than those who lived in other Adams County zip codes to answer "No" to the question.

4% of 99344-Othello Adams County residents answered "No"
1% of residents in other county zip code said "No"

Quality of Life

Safe Community

The Question

Do you feel safe in the city or area where you live?

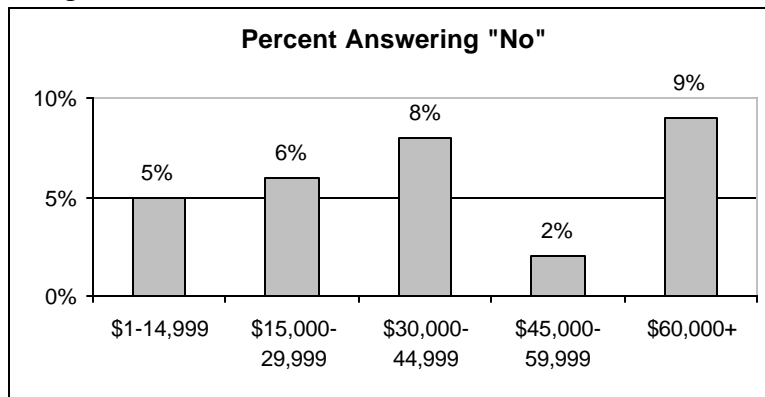
92% of all Adams County households answered "Yes"
8% said "No"

(A total of 429 people from the county answered this survey question)

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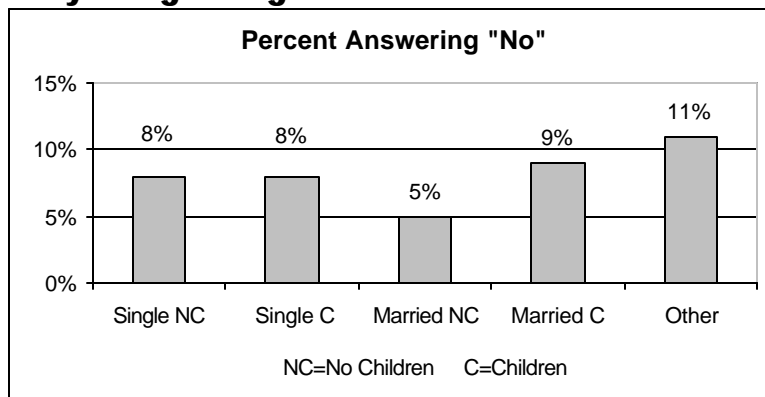
When different types of people living within Adams County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Households with an income of \$60,000 or more were **more likely** than other groups to say "No" to the question.

... By Living Arrangement



Households who were described as Other were **more likely** than any other group to say "No" to the question.

... By Geography

Individuals who lived in the 99344-Othello zip code were **more likely** than those who lived in other Adams County zip codes to answer "No" to the question.

6% of 99344-Othello Adams County residents answered "No"
1% of residents in other county zip code said "No"

The Question

What do you like about the community you live in?

... Some Answers

Quiet, friendly, safe, my job, my church.

Por que es un pueblo tranquilo. (The town is tranquil).

Friendly, safe, location, general community involvement of most community members.

It is safe, has schools that meet individual students needs and it has tight knit community groups.

Safe, good medical facilities, good schools, and churches.

The people are friendly and the community is growing somewhat, good schools, good parks.

Small, diverse, friendly.

The size, mixture of retirees and young families in the neighborhoods.

The Question

What do you think are the strengths of your community?

... Some Answers

Committed long time residents, good mix of ethnic groups that work together.

Churches, community organizations, local people.

Farmers and growth.

Continue to grow, beautifying the community, friendly people, and great school athletic department.

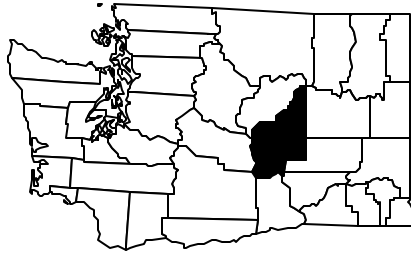
Dedication to an honest "hometown" way of life. We care about, support and encourage our youth.

Active chamber of commerce, hospital and clinic and doctors, fairly stable financial base, golf course, swimming pool and park and lots of churches.

Strong health care clinic, good hospitals for all people, nice parks, good sports and other community programs.

High church/bar ratio ☺.

Profiles of Daily Living Grant County



Grant County

Photographs



Farm near Moses Lake



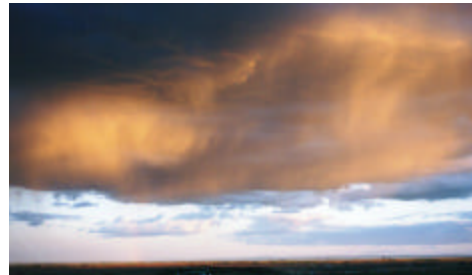
Dry Falls near Coulee City



Oasis Park near Ephrata



Steamboat Rock near Electric City



Summer Storm Clouds near Quincy



Grant County Courthouse

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Basic Needs

Overall

The Question

Have you found it difficult to make a living and provide for your basic needs in the past year?

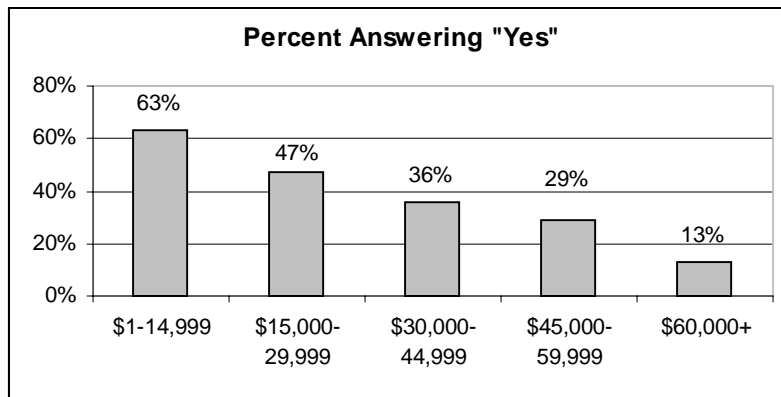
33% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
67% said "No"

(A total of 654 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

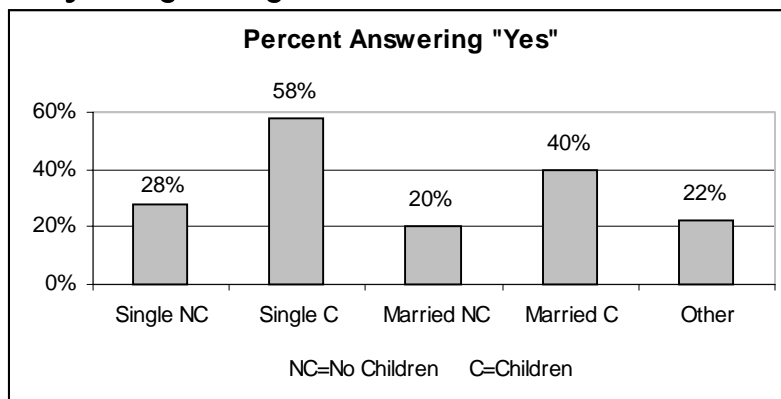
When different types of people living within Grant County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Nearly **2 in 3** households with an income of \$14,999 or less said "Yes" to the question. Almost **1 of every 2** with an income between \$15,000 and \$29,999 said "Yes".

... By Living Arrangement



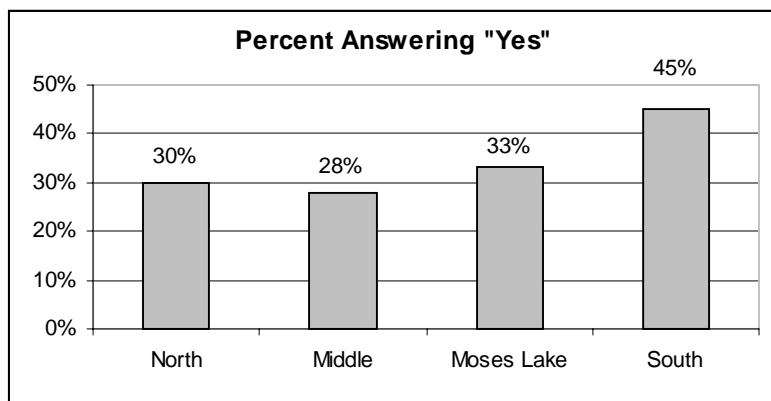
Households with children were **more likely** than any other group to answer "Yes" to this question. Single person households with children were nearly **twice as likely** as all county households to answer "Yes" (58% compared to 33%).

... By Employment Status

Individuals who identified their household income as coming from employment were **more likely** than those who were not employed to answer "Yes" to the question.

35% of employed Grant County residents answered "Yes"
29% of non-employed persons said "Yes"

... By Geographic Location



Residents living in the South section of Grant County were **more likely** to answer "Yes" to the question.

... Quick Comparisons

Renters versus Home Owners

Renters were **more likely** than Home Owners to answer "Yes" to the question.
Renters = 56% compared to Owners = 27%

Disabled versus Non-Disabled

Households with a disabled family member were **more likely** than households with no disabled members to answer "Yes" to the question.
Disabled Member = 46% compared to Non-Disabled Member = 28%

Senior versus Non-Senior

Households with individuals age 65+ (seniors) were **less likely** than non-senior households to answer "Yes" to the question.
Seniors = 21% compared to Non-Seniors = 38%

High School Education or Less versus More than a High School Education

When the Head of the Household had a high school education or less the household was **more likely** than those with more education to answer "Yes" to the question.
High school or less = 47% compared to More than High School = 27%

City versus Country

Households living in a city or town were **almost as likely as** those in the country or rural county area to answer "Yes" to the question.
City = 33% compared to Country = 32%

The Highlights

You are more likely to have difficulty meeting basic needs if:

- You have an income of \$14,999 or less
- Are single with children
- Are employed
- Live in the South section of Grant County
- Are a renter
- Live in a household with a disabled family member
- Live in a non-senior household
- Have a high school education or less

The Question

Have you found it difficult to make a living and provide for your basic needs in the past year?

Basic Needs

Food

The Question

Have you had to go without food or been concerned about having enough food for yourself and/or your family in the past year?

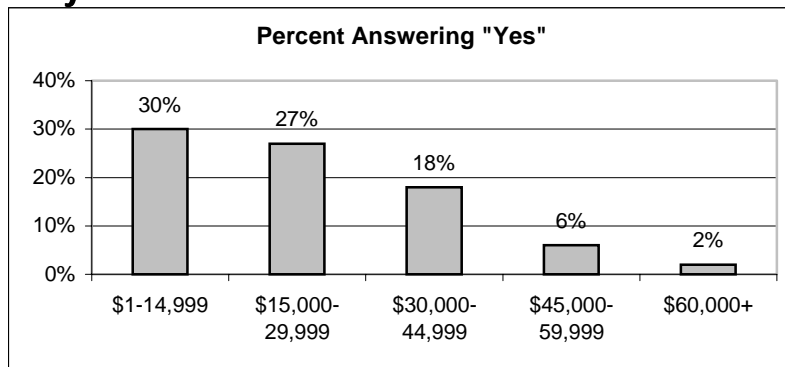
14% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
86% said "No"

(A total of 660 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

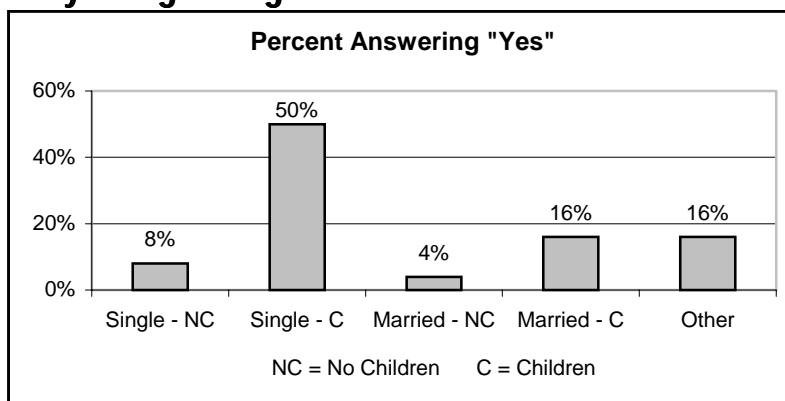
When different types of people living within Grant County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Approximately **1 in 3** households, 30%, with an income of \$14,999 or less said "Yes" to the question.

... By Living Arrangement



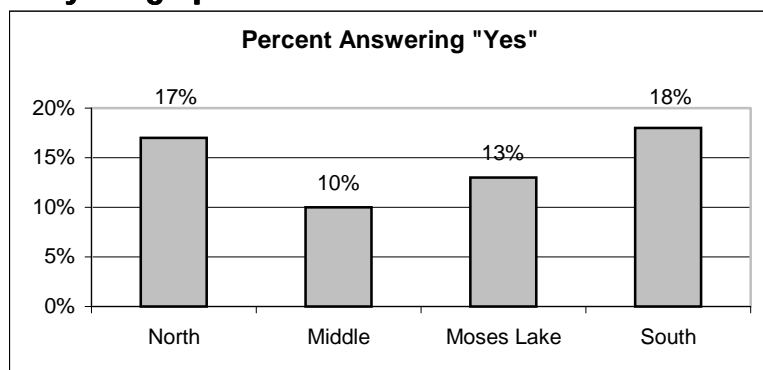
Households with children were **more likely** than those without children to answer "Yes" to this question. **1 of every 2** single parents, 50%, said "Yes".

... By Employment Status

Individuals who identified their household income as coming from employment were **more likely** than those who were not employed to answer "Yes" to the question.

16% of employed Grant County residents answered "Yes"
9% of non-employed persons said "Yes"

... By Geographic Location



Households in the North and South sections of Grant County were **more likely** than those in other locations to answer "Yes" to the question.

... Quick Comparisons

Renters versus Home Owners

Renters were **more likely** than Home Owners to answer "Yes" to the question.
Renters = 32% compared to Owners = 10%

Disabled versus Non-Disabled

Households with a disabled family member were **more likely** than households with no disabled members to answer "Yes" to the question.
Disabled Member = 19% compared to Non-Disabled Member = 12%

Senior versus Non-Senior

Households with individuals age 65+ (seniors) were **less likely** than non-senior households to answer "Yes" to the question.
Seniors = 3% compared to Non-Seniors = 18%

High School Education or Less versus More than a High School Education

When the head of the household had a high school education or less the household was **more likely** than those with higher education to answer "Yes" to the question.
High School or less = 5% compared to More than High School = 3%

City versus Country

Households living in a city or town were **more likely** than those in the country or rural county area to answer "Yes" to the question.
City = 17% compared to Country = 9%

The Highlights

You are more likely to have to go without food or be concerned about having enough food if:

- You have an income of \$14,999 or less
- Are single with children
- Are employed
- Are a renter
- Live in a household with a disabled family member
- Live in a non-senior household
- Have a high school education or less
- Live in the city

The Question

Have you had to go without food or been concerned about having enough food for yourself and/or your family in the past year?

Basic Needs

Clothing

The Question

Do you have adequate clothing for yourself and/or your family?

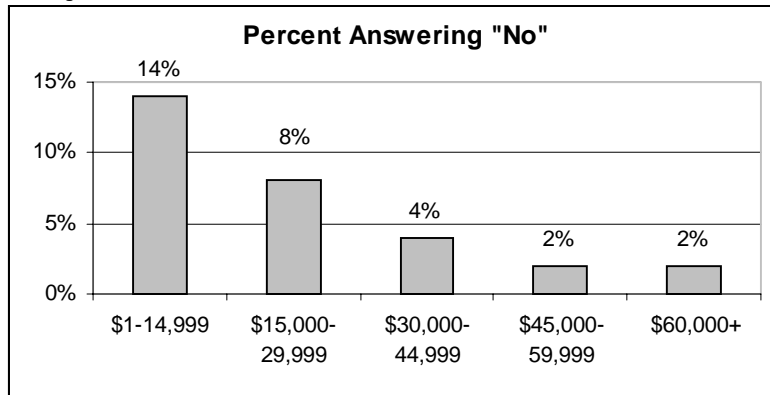
96% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
4% said "No"

(A total of 663 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

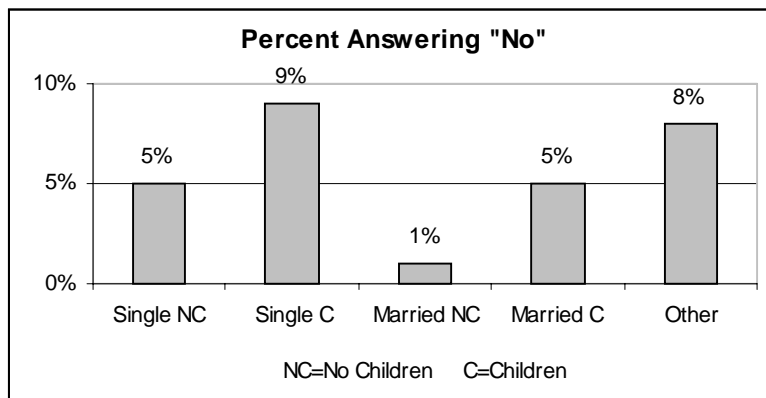
When different types of people living within Grant County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Households with an income of \$14,999 or less were **three times as likely** to say "No" to the question when compared to all county households (14% compared to 4%).

... By Living Arrangement



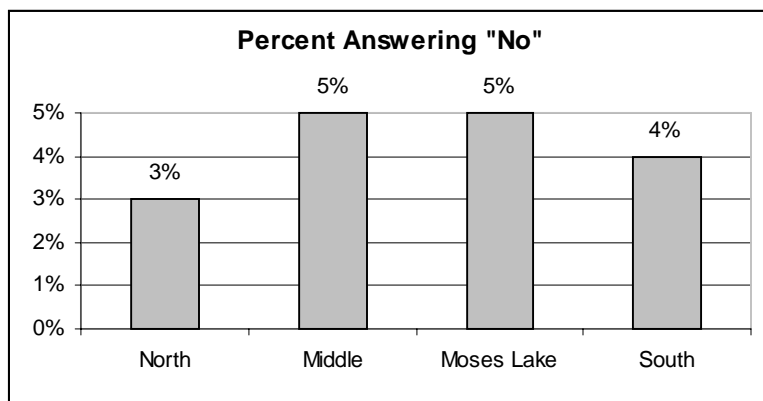
Nearly **1 in 10** single person households with children answered "No" to this question.

... By Employment Status

Individuals who identified their household income as coming from employment were **less likely** than those who were not employed to answer "No" to the question.

3% of employed Grant County residents answered "No"
6% of non-employed persons said "No"

... By Geographic Location



Households in Moses Lake and the Middle section of Grant County were **more likely** than those in other locations to answer "No" to the question.

... Quick Comparisons

Renters versus Home Owners

Renters were **more likely** than Home Owners to answer "No" to the question.
Renters = 11% compared to Owners = 3%

Disabled versus Non-Disabled

Households with a disabled family member were **more likely** than households with no disabled members to answer "No" to the question.
Disabled Member = 7% compared to Non-Disabled Member = 3%

Senior versus Non-Senior

Households with individuals age 65+ (seniors) were **less likely** than non-senior households to answer "No" to the question.
Seniors = 2% compared to Non-Seniors = 5%

High School Education or Less versus More than a High School Education

When the Head of the Household had a high school education or less the household was **more likely** than those with higher education to answer "No" to the question.
High school or less = 8% compared to More than High School = 3%

City versus Country

Households living in a city or town were **more likely** than those in the country or rural county area to answer "No" to the question.
City = 6% compared to Country = 2%

The Highlights

You are at a higher risk for having to go without adequate clothing if:

- You have an income of \$14,999 or less
- Are single with children
- Are not employed
- Live in Moses Lake or the Middle section of Grant County
- Are a renter
- Live in a household with a disabled family member
- Live in a non-senior household
- Have a high school education or less
- Live in the city

The Question

Do you have adequate clothing for yourself and/or your family?

Basic Needs

Shelter

The Question

Have you had difficulty finding a place to live in the past year?

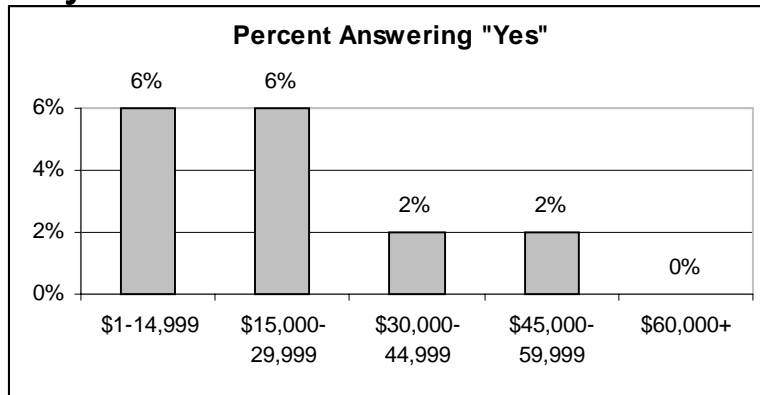
3% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
97% said "No"

(A total of 637 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

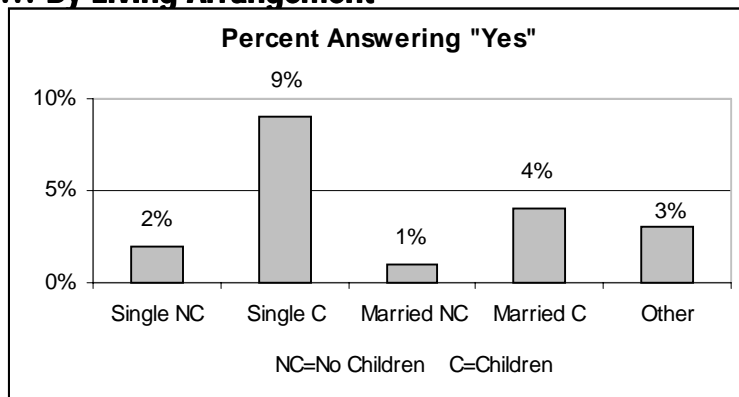
When different types of people living within Grant County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Households making under \$14,999 and those making \$15,000-29,999 were **more likely** than other groups to answer "Yes" to the question.

... By Living Arrangement



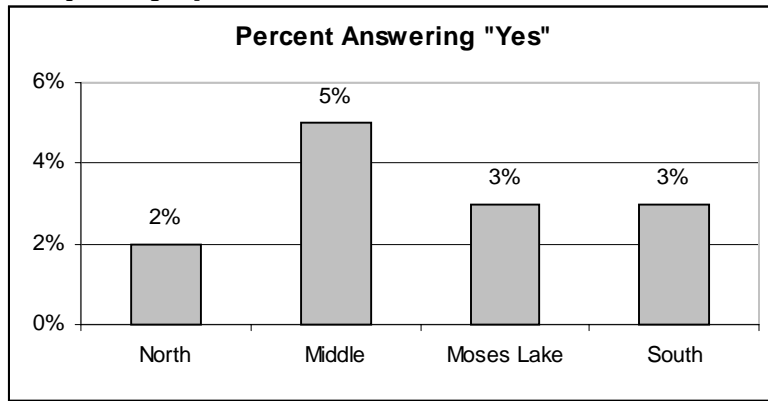
Households headed by a single person with children were **more likely** than any other group to answer "Yes". The percent for single with children answering "Yes" was **three times** as high as the all county households percent (9% compared to 3%).

... By Employment Status

Individuals who identified their household income as coming from employment were **more likely** than those who were not employed to answer "Yes" to the question.

4% of employed Grant County residents answered "Yes"
2% of non-employed persons said "Yes"

... By Geographic Location



Households in the Middle section of Grant County were **more likely** than those in other locations to answer "Yes" to the question.

... Quick Comparisons

Renters versus Home Owners

Renters were **more likely** than Home Owners to answer "Yes" to the question.

Renters = 17% compared to Owners = 0%

Disabled versus Non-Disabled

Households with a disabled family member were **almost as likely as** households with no disabled members to answer "Yes" to the question.

Disabled Member = 4% compared to Non-Disabled Member = 3%

Senior versus Non-Senior

Households with individuals age 65+ (seniors) were **less likely** than non-senior households to answer "Yes" to the question.

Seniors = 1% compared to Non-Seniors = 4%

High School Education or Less versus More than a High School Education

When the Head of the Household had a high school education or less the household was **more likely** than those with higher education to answer "Yes" to the question.

High school or less = 20% compared to More than High School = 11%

City versus Country

Households living in a city or town were **more likely** than those in the country or rural county area to answer "Yes" to the question.

City = 4% compared to Country = 2%

The Highlights

You are more likely to have difficulty finding shelter if:

- You have an income of \$29,999 or less
- Are single with children
- Are employed
- Live in the Middle region of Grant County
- Are a renter
- Live in a non-senior household
- Have a high school education or less
- Live in the city

The Question

Have you had difficulty finding a place to live in the past year?

Basic Needs

Transportation

The Question

Do you and/or your family frequently have trouble getting to the places you need to go because of transportation problems?

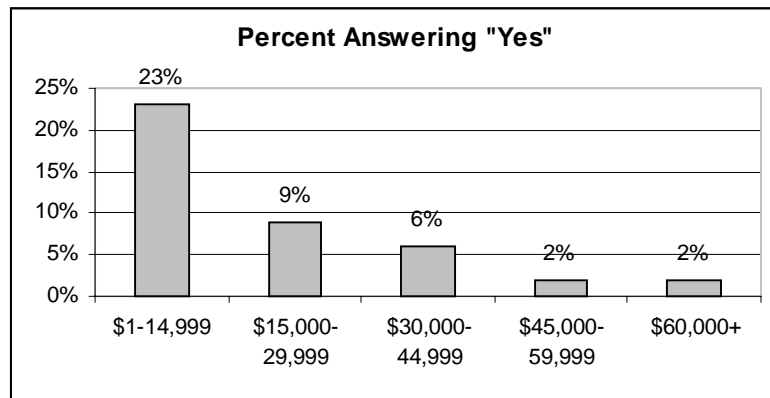
6% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
94% said "No"

(A total of 659 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

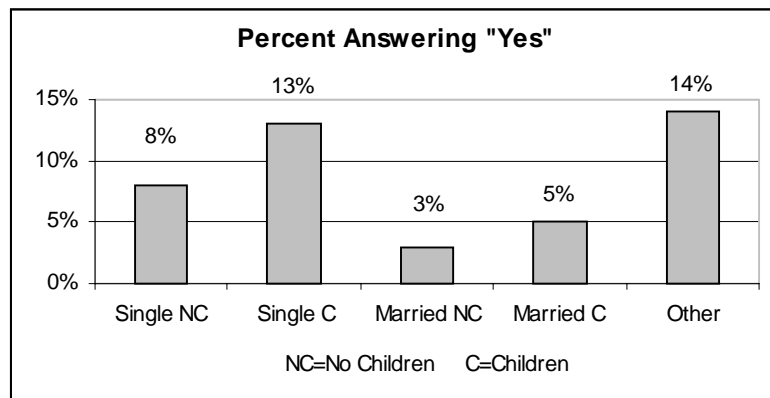
When different types of people living within Grant County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Nearly **1 in 4**, 23% of households with an income of \$14,999 or less said "Yes" to the question.

... By Living Arrangement



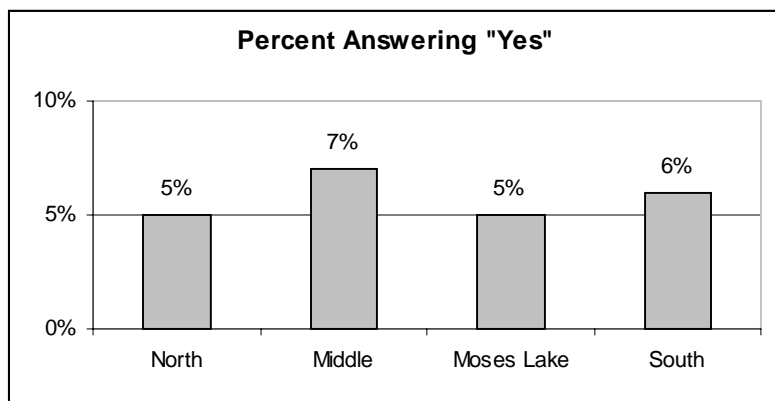
Single person households with children were **more likely** than other groups to answer "Yes" to this question, followed closely by households described as other.

... By Employment Status

Individuals who identified their household income as coming from employment were **less likely** than those who were not employed to answer "Yes" to the question.

4% of employed Grant County residents answered "Yes"
9% of non-employed persons said "Yes"

... By Geographic Location



Households in the Middle section of Grant County were slightly **more likely** than those in other locations to answer "Yes" to the question.

... Quick Comparisons

Renters versus Home Owners

Renters were **more likely** than Home Owners to answer "Yes" to the question.
Renters = 16% compared to Owners = 4%

Disabled versus Non-Disabled

Households with a disabled family member were **more likely** than households with no disabled members to answer "Yes" to the question.
Disabled Member = 14% compared to Non-Disabled Member = 3%

Senior versus Non-Senior

Households with individuals age 65+ (seniors) were **almost as likely as** non-senior households to answer "Yes" to the question.
Seniors = 5% compared to Non-Seniors = 6%

High School Education or Less versus More than a High School Education

When the Head of the Household had a high school education or less the household was **more likely** than those with more education to answer "Yes" to the question.
High school or less = 10% compared to More than High School = 4%

City versus Country

Households living in a city or town were **less likely** than those in the country or rural county area to answer "Yes" to the question.
City = 7% compared to Country = 5%

The Highlights

You are more likely to have difficulty with transportation if:

- You have an income of \$14,999 or less
- Are a household described as other
- Are not employed
- Are a renter
- Live in a household with a disabled family member
- Have a high school education or less
- Live in the city

The Question

Do you and/or your family frequently have trouble getting to the places you need to go because of transportation problems?

Basic Needs

Health Insurance

The Question

Does every family member in the home have some form of medical or health insurance?

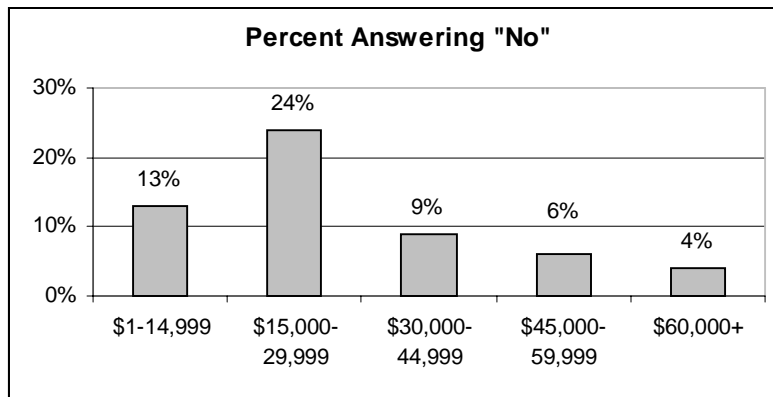
89% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
11% said "No"

(A total of 656 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

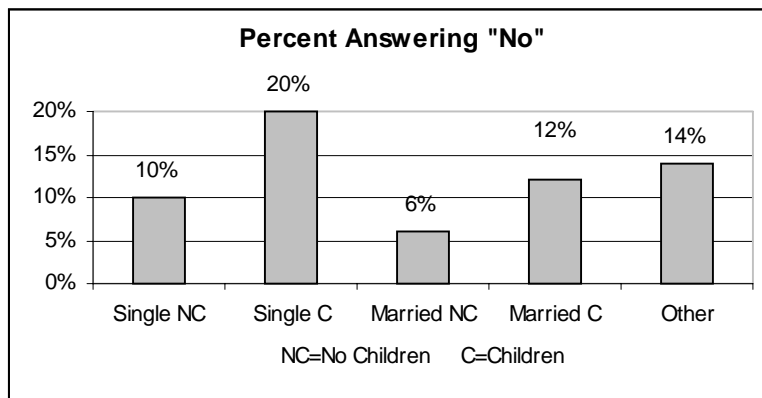
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... By Annual Income



Households making between \$15,000-29,999 were more than **twice as likely** as all county households to answer "No" to the question (24% compared to 11%).

... By Living Arrangement



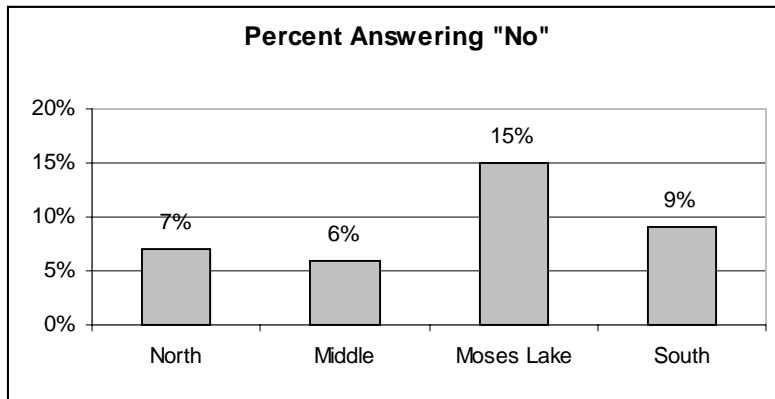
Households headed by single people with children were **more likely** than other groups to answer "No". The percent for single with children answering "No" was **nearly two times** as high as the all county residents percent.

... By Employment Status

Individuals who identified their household income as coming from employment were **more likely** than those who were not employed to answer "No" to the question.

12% of employed Grant County residents answered "No"
9% of non-employed persons said "No"

... By Geographic Location



Households in Moses Lake were **more likely** than those in other locations to answer "No" to the question.

... Quick Comparisons

Renters versus Home Owners

Renters were **more likely** than Home Owners to answer "No" to the question.

Renters = 23% compared to Owners = 8%

Disabled versus Non-Disabled

Households with a disabled family member were **more likely** than households with no disabled members to answer "No" to the question.

Disabled Member = 12% compared to Non-Disabled Member = 10%

Senior versus Non-Senior

Households with individuals age 65+ (seniors) were **less likely** than non-senior households to answer "No" to the question.

Seniors = 6% compared to Non-Seniors = 13%

High School Education or Less versus More than a High School Education

When the Head of the Household had a high school education or less the household was **more likely** than those with more education to answer "No" to the question.

High school or less = 16% compared to More than High School = 8%

City versus Country

Households living in a city or town were **almost as likely as** those in the country or rural county area to answer "No" to the question.

City = 10% compared to Country = 11%

The Highlights

You are more likely to have a household family member without health insurance if:

- You have an income of between \$15,000-\$29,999
- Are single with children
- Are employed
- Live in Moses Lake
- Are a renter
- Live in a household with a disabled family member
- Live in a non-senior household
- Have a high school education or less

The Question

Does every family member in the home have some form of medical or health insurance?

Basic Needs

Going Without

The Question

As a result of your financial situation have you and/or your family had to go without any of the following in the last year?

Medical Care

11% of all Grant County households said "Yes"
89% said "No"

(A total of 550 people from the county answered this survey question)

Insurance

12% of all Grant County households said "Yes"
88% said "No"

(A total of 550 people from the county answered this survey question)

Prescription Medicine

11% of all Grant County households said "Yes"
89% said "No"

(A total of 544 people from the county answered this survey question)

Clothing

11% of all Grant County households said "Yes"
89% said "No"

(A total of 547 people from the county answered this survey question)

Dental Care

27% of all Grant County households said "Yes"
73% said "No"

(A total of 580 people from the county answered this survey question)

Paying Certain Bills

26% of all Grant County households said "Yes"
74% said "No"

(A total of 572 people from the county answered this survey question)

Food

5% of all Grant County households said "Yes"
95% said "No"

(A total of 537 people from the county answered this survey question)

Child Care

9% of all Grant County households said "Yes"
91% said "No"

(A total of 192 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on households with children age 0-17)

Utilities

3% of all Grant County households said "Yes"
97% said "No"

(A total of 532 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Question

What do you like about the community you live in?

... Some Answers

People are generally friendly, tolerant and helpful.

It's smallness, familiarity, low population, natural beauty, 4 seasons weather.

The climate, the people, the activities, the peace and quiet, lack of traffic and crowds.

Clean air/good water/growing community/ community park (amphitheater) programs.

Good people, great kids in the community.

Friendly, good school system, sports, area weather, power available.

Small enough to "know" people both personally and professionally yet large enough to have wide array of services.

Quiet, no traffic, can see the stars at night.

The Question

What do you think are the strengths of your community?

... Some Answers

Independent, resilient.

It's homey. Small yet close to bigger cities to do things.

Great citizens/recreation/good leadership.

Good hardworking folks who care about others.

The Natural beauty, cliffs and lake.

The mix of Mexican and American cultures. It adds spice to an otherwise sleepy little town.

A progressive community, good fishing and recreation.

Sunshine, small town friendliness.

The agriculture community.

Gorgeous scenery, wildlife, caring community, no need to dress up everyday.

Quality of Life

Stable Employment

The Question

Do you see your employment as being stable over the next year?

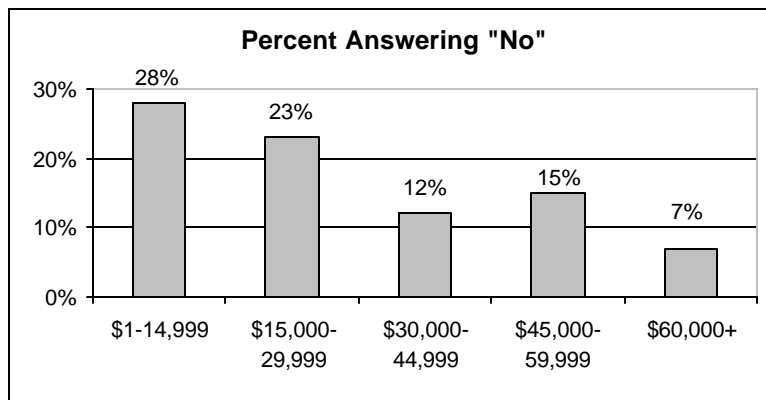
87% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
13% said "No"

(A total of 445 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on working adults only)

The Difference

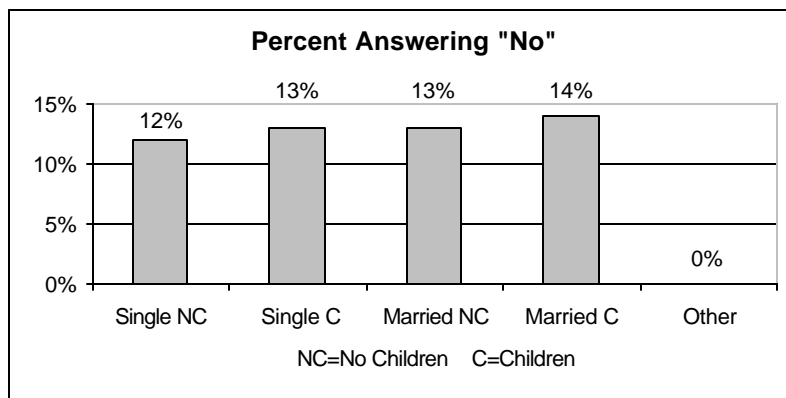
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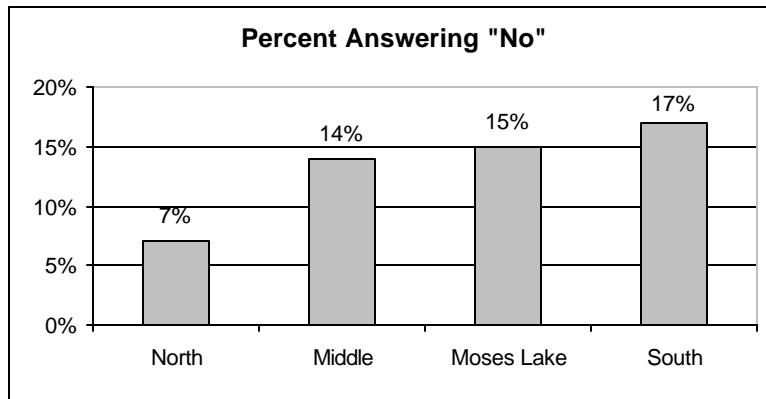
Households in the \$14,999 or less and \$15,000-29,999 income group were nearly **twice as likely** as all county households to say "No" (28% compared to 13%).

... By Living Arrangement



Households of all types with the exception of Other were **similar** in the percent who said "No". Married households with children had the **highest** percent answering "No" compared to all other groups.

... By Geographic Location



Households in the South section of Grant County were **more likely** than those from other locations to answer "No" to the question.

... Quick Comparisons

Renters versus Home Owners

Renters were **almost as likely as** Home Owners to answer "No" to the question.
Renters = 14% compared to Owners = 13%

Disabled versus Non-Disabled

Households with a disabled family member were **more likely** than households with no disabled members to answer "No" to the question.
Disabled Member = 16% compared to Non-Disabled Member = 12%

Senior versus Non-Senior

Households with individuals age 65+ (seniors) were **more likely** than non-senior households to answer "No" to the question.
Seniors = 21% compared to Non-Seniors = 12%

High School Education or Less versus More than a High School Education

When the Head of the Household had a high school education or less the household was **more likely** than those with higher education to answer "No" to the question.
High school or less = 19% compared to More than High School = 12%

City versus Country

Households living in a city or town were **less likely** than those in the country or rural county area to answer "No" to the question.
City = 12% compared to Country = 15%

Employed in Agricultural Industry versus Employed in Non-Agricultural Industry

When working adults were employed in the agricultural industry they were **more likely** than people in non-agricultural employment to answer "Yes" to the question.
Employed in Agriculture = 24% compared to Not Employed in Agriculture = 10%

The Highlights

You are more likely to be concerned about the stability of your job if:

- You have an income of \$14,999 or less
- Are married with children
- Live in South section of Grant County
- Live in a household with a disabled family member
- Live in household with a senior
- Have a high school education or less
- Live in the country
- Employed in the agricultural industry

The Question

Do you see your employment as being stable over the next year?

Quality of Life

More than 1 Job

The Question

Do any of the working adults have more than one job?

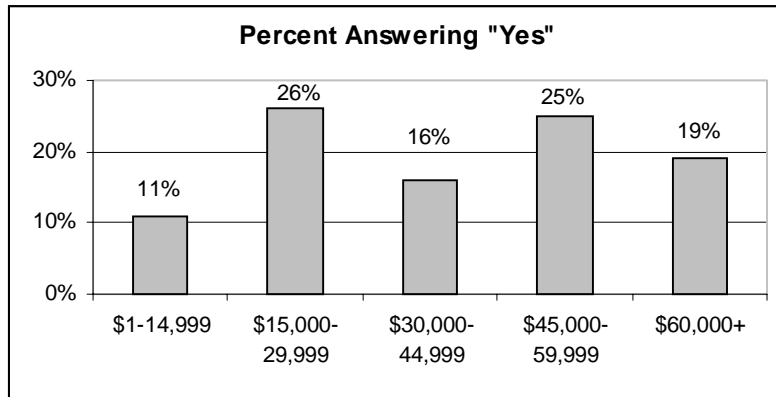
19% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
81% said "No"

(A total of 455 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on working adults only)

The Difference

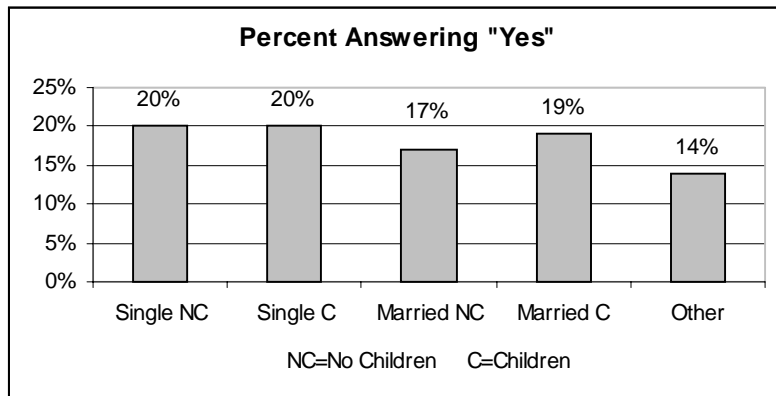
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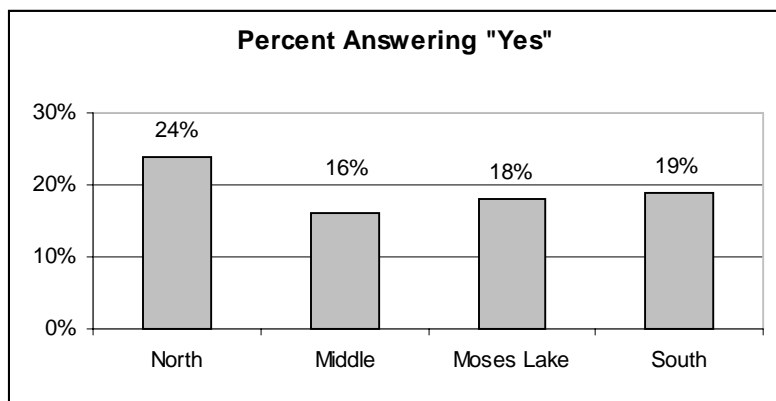
Approximately **1 in 4** households with an income of \$15,000-29,999 and \$45,000-59,999 said "Yes" to the question.

... By Living Arrangement



1 in 5 single person household with and without children said "Yes" to the question.

... By Geographic Location



Households in the North section of Grant County were **more likely** than those in other locations to answer "Yes" to the question.

... Quick Comparisons

Renters versus Home Owners

Renters were **almost as likely as** Home Owners to answer "Yes" to the question.
Renters = 18% compared to Owners = 19%

Disabled versus Non-Disabled

Households with a disabled family member were **more likely** than households with no disabled members to answer "Yes" to the question.
Disabled Member = 21% compared to Non-Disabled Member = 18%

Senior versus Non-Senior

Households with individuals age 65+ (seniors) were **less likely** than non-senior households to answer "Yes" to the question.
Seniors = 13% compared to Non-Seniors = 19%

High School Education or Less versus More than a High School Education

When the Head of the Household had a high school education or less the household was **as likely as** those with higher education to answer "Yes" to the question.
High school or less = 19% compared to More than High School = 19%

City versus Country

Households living in a city or town were **more likely** than those in the country or rural county area to answer "Yes" to the question.
City = 21% compared to Country = 17%

Employed in Agricultural Industry versus Employed in Non-Agricultural Industry

When working adults were employed in the agricultural industry they were **more likely** than people in non-agricultural employment to answer "Yes" to the question.
Employed in Agriculture = 21% compared to Not Employed in Agriculture = 18%

The Highlights

You are more likely to be working more than one job if:

- You have an income of \$15,000-29,999
- Are single with or without children
- Live in the North section of Grant County
- Live in a household with a disabled family member
- Live in a non-senior household
- Live in the city
- Employed in the agricultural industry

The Question

Do any of the working adults have more than one job?

Quality of Life

Employment Barriers

The Question

Has your educational level, transportation or child care issues affected your getting a job or keeping a job?

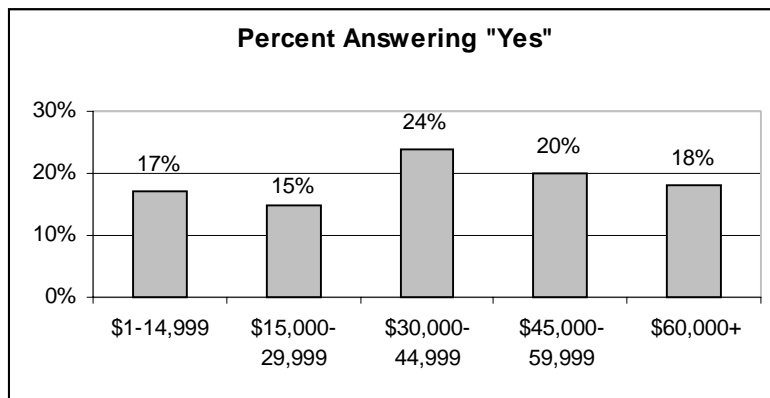
17% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
83% said "No"

(A total of 636 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

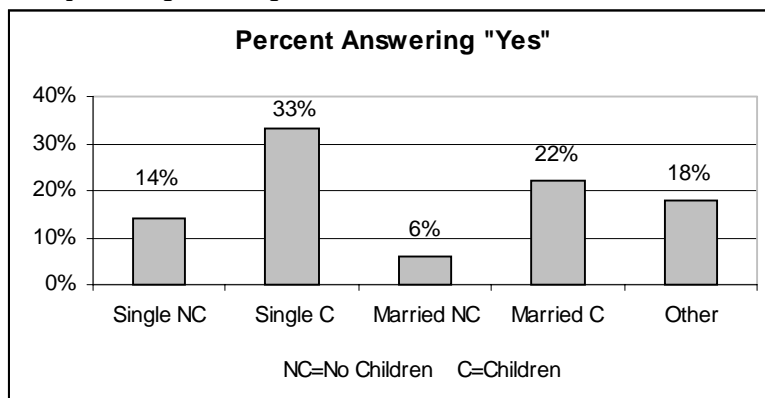
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... By Annual Income



Approximately **1 in 4** households with an income of \$30,000-44,999 said "Yes" to the question.

... By Living Arrangement



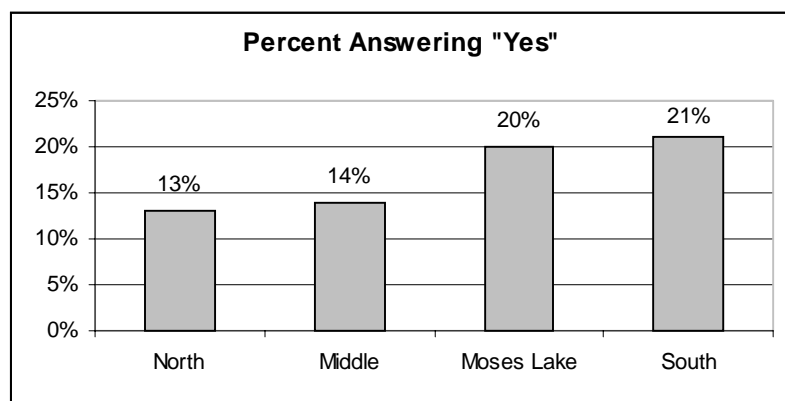
1 in 3 single person households with children said "Yes" to the question.

... By Employment Status

Individuals who identified their household income as coming from employment were **more likely** than those who were not employed to answer "Yes" to the question.

21% of employed Grant County residents answered "Yes"
8% of non-employed persons said "Yes"

... By Geographic Location



Households in the South section of Grant County were **more likely** than those in other locations to answer "Yes" to the question. Nearly **1 in 5** households in Moses Lake and South Grant County said "Yes".

... Quick Comparisons

Renters versus Home Owners

Renters were **more likely** than Home Owners to answer "Yes" to the question.
Renters = 30% compared to Owners = 14%

Disabled versus Non-Disabled

Households with a disabled family member were **almost as likely as** households with no disabled members to answer "Yes" to the question.
Disabled Member = 17% compared to Non-Disabled Member = 18%

Senior versus Non-Senior

Households with individuals age 65+ (seniors) were **less likely** than non-senior households to answer "Yes" to the question.
Seniors = 4% compared to Non-Seniors = 22%

High School Education or Less versus More than a High School Education

When the Head of the Household had a high school education or less the household was **as likely as** those with higher education to answer "Yes" to the question.
High school or less = 17% compared to More than High School = 17%

City versus Country

Households living in a city or town were **more likely** than those in the country or rural county area to answer "Yes" to the question.
City = 19% compared to Country = 15%

The Highlights

You are more likely to believe you have experienced an employment barrier if:

- You have an income of \$30,000-44,999
- Are single with children
- Are employed
- Live in the South section of Grant County
- Are a renter
- Live in a non-senior household
- Live in the city

The Question

Has your educational level, transportation or child care issues affected your getting a job or keeping a job?

Quality of Life

Financial Crisis

The Question

In the last year have you and/or your family had to deal with a financial crisis?

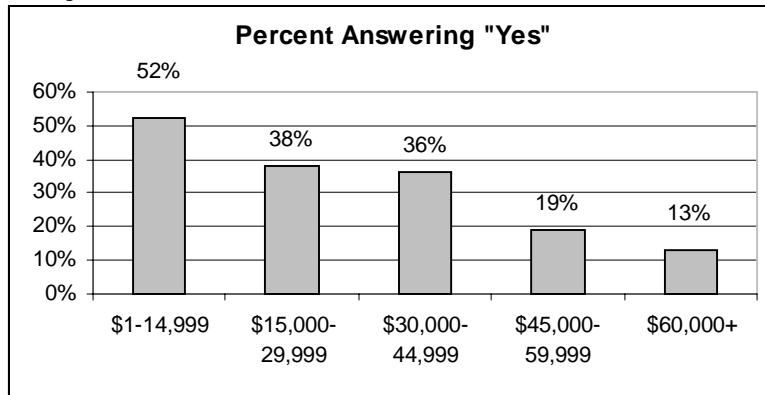
28% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
72% said "No"

(A total of 601 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

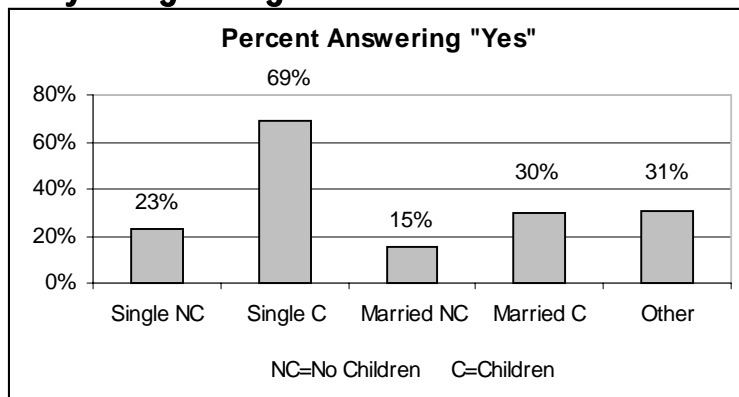
When different types of people living within Grant County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Households with an income of \$14,999 or less were **more likely** than any other group to say "Yes" to the question. However, approximately **1 in 3** households in \$15,000-29,999 and \$30,000-44,999 income brackets also said "Yes".

... By Living Arrangement



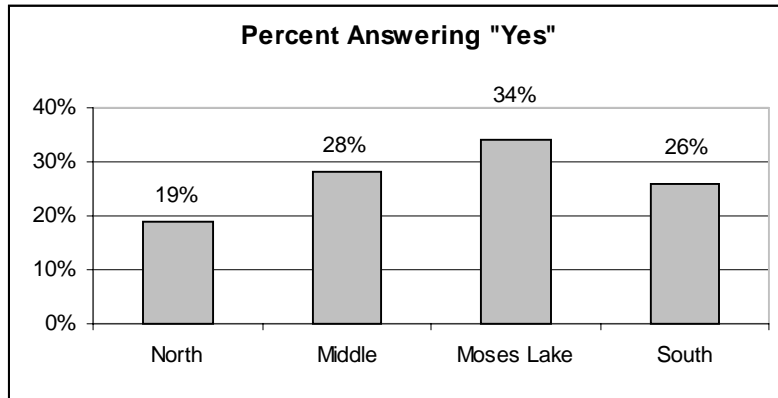
Single person households with children were **more likely** than any other group to answer "Yes" to this question.

... By Employment Status

Individuals who identified their household income as coming from employment were **more likely** than those who were not employed to answer "Yes" to the question.

31% of employed Grant County residents answered "Yes"
23% of non-employed persons said "Yes"

... By Geographic Location



Households in Moses Lake were **more likely** than those from other location to answer "Yes" to the question.

... Quick Comparisons

Renters versus Home Owners

Renters were **more likely** than Home Owners to answer "Yes" to the question.
Renters = 48% compared to Owners = 24%

Disabled versus Non-Disabled

Households with a disabled family member were **more likely** than households with no disabled members to answer "Yes" to the question.
Disabled Member = 39% compared to Non-Disabled Member = 25%

Senior versus Non-Senior

Households with individuals age 65+ (seniors) were **less likely** than non-senior households to answer "Yes" to the question.
Seniors = 16% compared to Non-Seniors = 32%

High School Education or Less versus More than a High School Education

When the Head of the Household had a high school education or less the household was **more likely** than those with higher education to answer "Yes" to the question.
High school or less = 32% compared to More than High School = 27%

City versus Country

Households living in a city or town were **as likely as** those in the country or rural county area to answer "Yes" to the question.
City = 28% compared to Country = 28%

The Highlights

You are more likely to experience a financial crisis if:

- You have an income of \$14,999 or less
- Are single with children
- Are employed
- Live in Moses Lake
- Are a renter
- Live in a household with a disabled family member
- Live in a non-senior household
- Have a high school education or less

The Question

In the last year have you and/or your family had to deal with a financial crisis?

Quality of Life

Financial Cushion

The Question

After you pay your bills, do you have money to set aside and save?

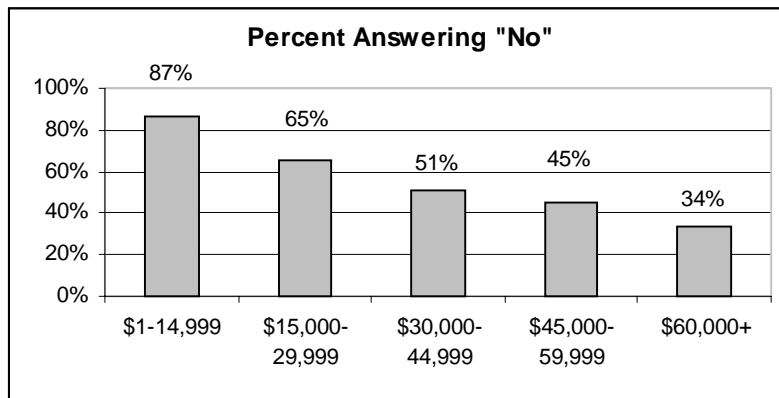
50% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
50% said "No"

(A total of 642 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

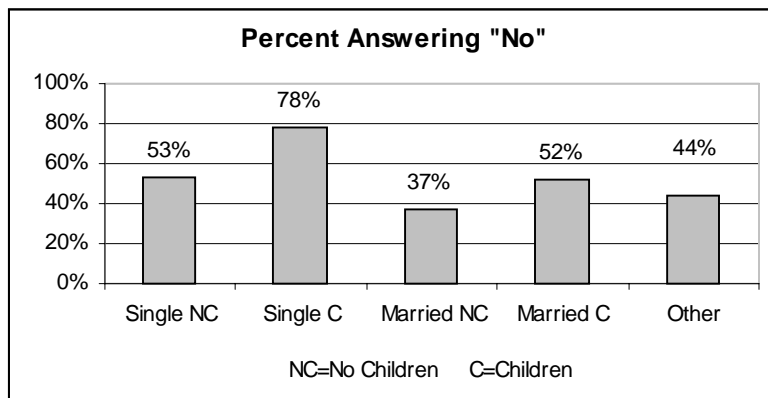
When different types of people living within Grant County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Households with an income of \$14,999 or less were **more likely** than any other group to say "No" to the question, however a large portion of each income group said "No".

... By Living Arrangement



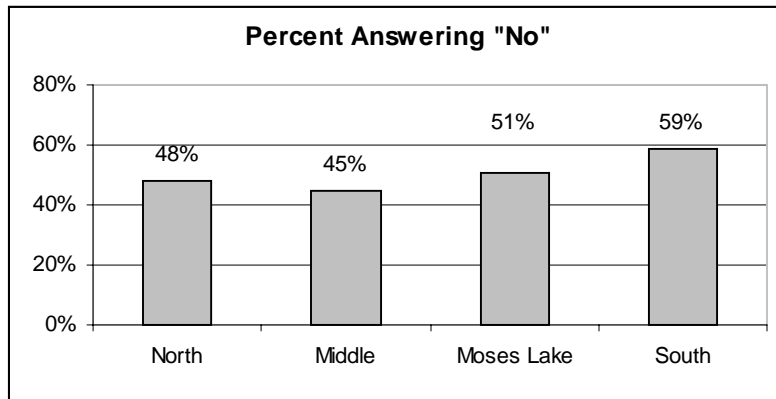
Single person households with children were **more likely** than any other group to answer "No" to this question. **3 in 4** single person households with children said "No". **1 in 2** single person households without children and **1 in 2** married with children households said "No".

... By Employment Status

Individuals who identified their household income as coming from employment were **less likely** than those who were not employed to answer "No" to the question.

49% of employed Grant County residents answered "No"
52% of non-employed persons said "No"

... By Geographic Location



Households in the South section of Grant County were **more likely** than those from other locations to answer "No" to the question.

... Quick Comparisons

Renters versus Home Owners

Renters were **more likely** than Home Owners to answer "No" to the question.

Renters = 66% compared to Owners = 46%

Disabled versus Non-Disabled

Households with a disabled family member were **more likely** than households with no disabled members to answer "No" to the question.

Disabled Member = 61% compared to Non-Disabled Member = 46%

Senior versus Non-Senior

Households with individuals age 65+ (seniors) were **less likely** than non-senior households to answer "No" to the question.

Seniors = 48% compared to Non-Seniors = 51%

High School Education or Less versus More than a High School Education

When the Head of the Household had a high school education or less the household was **more likely** than those with higher education to answer "No" to the question.

High school or less = 69% compared to More than High School = 42%

City versus Country

Households living in a city or town were **almost as likely as** those in the country or rural county area to answer "No" to the question.

City = 49% compared to Country = 50%

The Highlights

You are less likely to have money to set aside and save if:

- You have an income of \$14,999 or less
- Are single with children
- Are not employed
- Live in South section of Grant County
- Are a renter
- Live in a household with a disabled family member
- Live in a non-senior household
- Have a high school education or less

The Question

After you pay your bills, do you have money to set aside and save?

Quality of Life

Debt

The Question

Do you and/or your family have outstanding financial debts (not counting home or vehicle loans)?

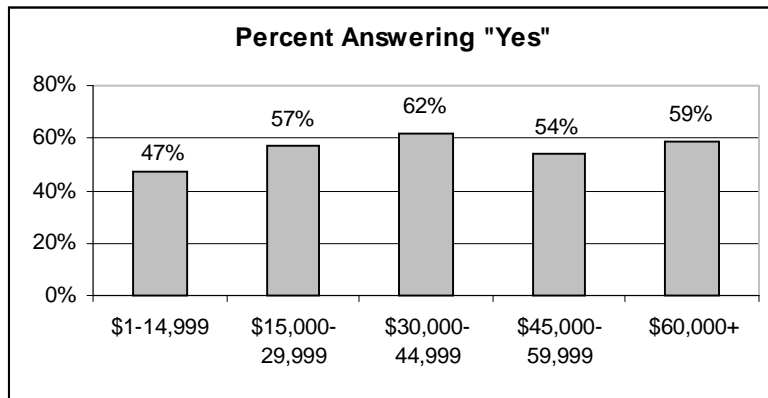
52% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
48% said "No"

(A total of 646 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

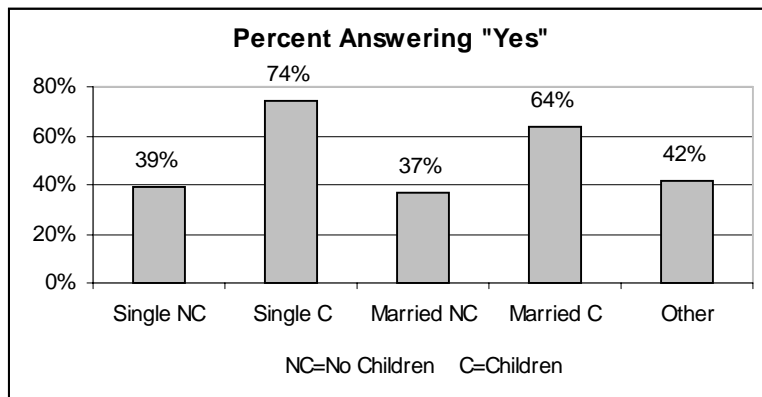
When different types of people living within Grant County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Households with an income of \$30,000-44,999 were **more likely** than any other group to say "Yes" to the question.

... By Living Arrangement



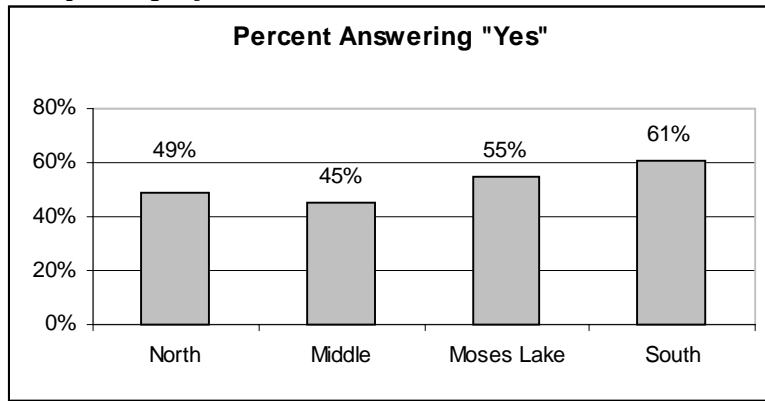
Nearly **3 in 4** single person households with children said "Yes" to this question.

... By Employment Status

Individuals who identified their household income as coming from employment were **more likely** than those who were not employed to answer "Yes" to the question.

65% of employed Grant County residents answered "Yes"
29% of non-employed persons said "Yes"

... By Geographic Location



Households in the South section of Grant County were **more likely** than those in other locations to answer "Yes" to the question.

... Quick Comparisons

Renters versus Home Owners

Renters were **more likely** than Home Owners to answer "Yes" to the question.

Renters = 72% compared to Owners = 48%

Disabled versus Non-Disabled

Households with a disabled family member were **almost as likely as** households with no disabled members to answer "Yes" to the question.

Disabled Member = 52% compared to Non-Disabled Member = 53%

Senior versus Non-Senior

Households with individuals age 65+ (seniors) were **less likely** than non-senior households to answer "Yes" to the question.

Seniors = 24% compared to Non-Seniors = 63%

High School Education or Less versus More than a High School Education

When the Head of the Household had a high school education or less the household was **less likely** than those with higher education to answer "Yes" to the question.

High school or less = 50% compared to More than High School = 54%

City versus Country

Households living in a city or town were **as likely as** those in the country or rural county area to answer "Yes" to the question.

City = 53% compared to Country = 53%

The Highlights

You are more likely to experience a financial debt if:

- You have an income of \$30,000-44,999
- Are single with children
- Are employed
- Live in the South section of Grant County
- Are a renter
- Live in a non-senior household
- Have more than a high school education

The Question

Do you and/or your family have outstanding financial debts (not counting home or vehicle loans)?

Quality of Life

Monthly Debt

The Question

Do you and/or your family have outstanding financial debts (not counting home or vehicle loans)?
If you answered yes, how much do you spend per month to pay for the debt?

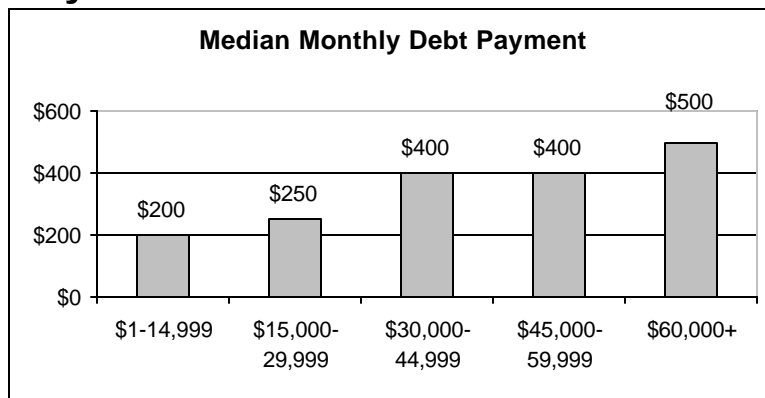
Of all Grant County households answering "Yes" the
median monthly debt payment was **\$300**

(Based on households with outstanding debt)

The Difference

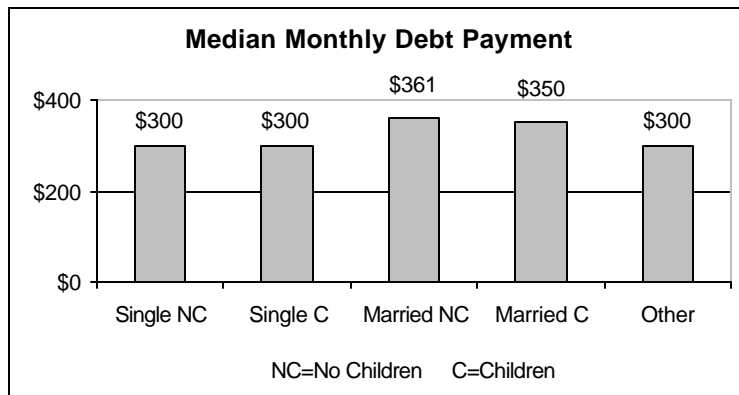
When different types of people living within Grant County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Households with an income of \$60,000 or more had the **highest** median monthly debt payment compared to all income brackets.

... By Living Arrangement



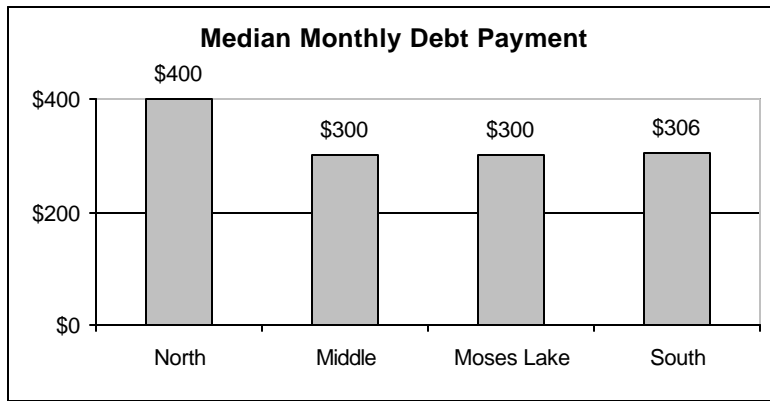
Married households with no children had the **highest** median monthly debt payment when compared to all other groups.

... By Employment Status

Individuals who identified their household income as coming from employment had a **higher** median monthly debt payment compared to those who were not employed.

Median monthly debt payment of employed Grant County residents was **\$306**
For non-employed persons it was **\$275**

... By Geographic Location



Households in the North section of Grant County had the **highest** median monthly debt payment compared to other regions of the county.

... Quick Comparisons

Renters versus Home Owners

Renters had a **lower** median monthly debt payment compared to Home Owners.
Renters = \$250 compared to Owners = \$400

Disabled versus Non-Disabled

Households with a disabled family member had a **lower** median monthly debt payment compared to households with no disabled members.
Disabled Member = \$300 compared to Non-Disabled Member = \$350

Senior versus Non-Senior

Households with individuals age 65+ (seniors) had the **same** median monthly debt payment compared to non-senior households.
Seniors = \$300 compared to Non-Seniors = \$300

High School Education or Less versus More than a High School Education

When the Head of the Household had a high school education or less the household had a **lower** median monthly debt payment compared to those with higher education.
High school or less = \$250 compared to More than High School = \$400

City versus Country

Households living in a city or town had a **lower** median monthly debt payment compared those living in the country or rural county area.
City = \$300 compared to Country = \$360

The Highlights

You are more likely to experience a higher financial debt if:

- You have an income of \$60,000 or more
- Are married with no children
- Are employed
- Live in the North section of Grant County
- Are a home owner
- Live in a household with no disabled members
- Have more than a high school education
- Live in the country

The Question

How much do you spend per month to pay for the debt?

Quality of Life

Medical Care

The Question

Do you and/or all of your family members have a doctor or medical clinic you can regularly be seen at and afford to visit?

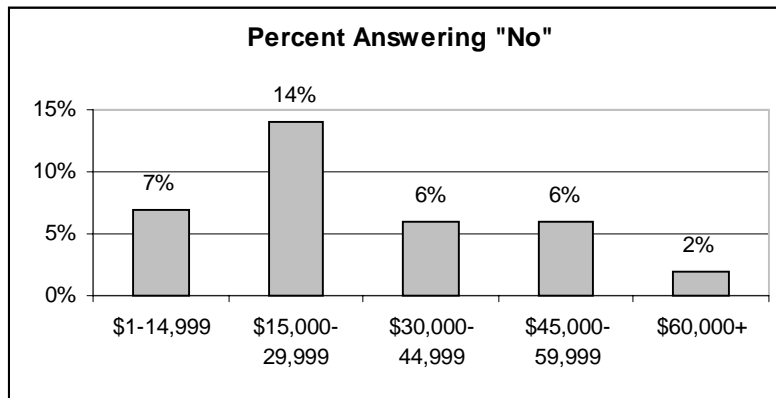
94% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
6% said "No"

(A total of 646 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

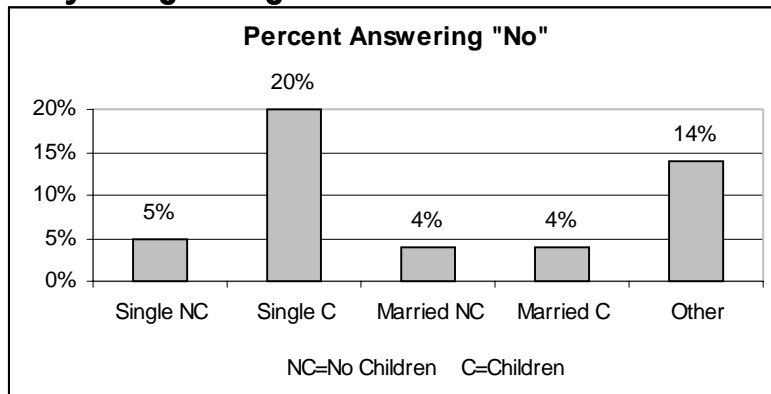
When different types of people living within Grant County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Households with an income of \$15,000-29,999 were more than **twice as likely** as all county households to say "No" to the question (14% compared to 6%).

... By Living Arrangement



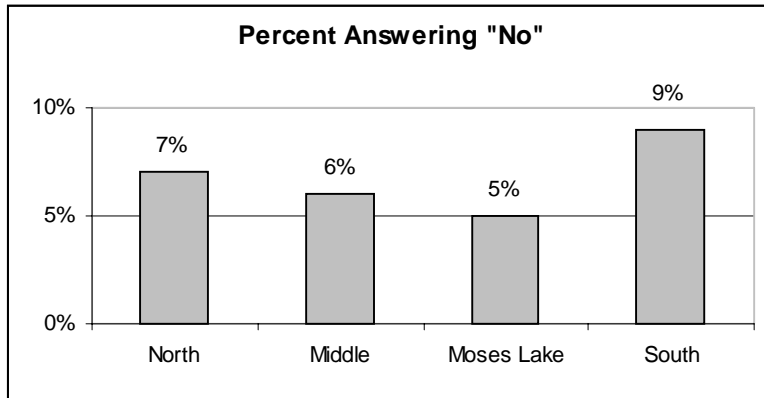
Single person households with children were more than **three times as likely** as all county households to say "No" to the question (20% compared to 6%).

... By Employment Status

Individuals who identified their household income as coming from employment were **more likely** than those who were not employed to answer "No" to the question.

7% of employed Grant County residents answered "No"
5% of non-employed persons said "No"

... By Geographic Location



Households in the South section of Grant County were **more likely** than those from other locations to answer "No" to the question.

... Quick Comparisons

Renters versus Home Owners

Renters were **more likely** than Home Owners to answer "No" to the question.

Renters = 11% compared to Owners = 5%

Disabled versus Non-Disabled

Households with a disabled family member were **more likely** than households with no disabled members to answer "No" to the question.

Disabled Member = 8% compared to Non-Disabled Member = 5%

Senior versus Non-Senior

Households with individuals age 65+ (seniors) were **almost as likely as** non-senior households to answer "No" to the question.

Seniors = 7% compared to Non-Seniors = 6%

High School Education or Less versus More than a High School Education

When the Head of the Household had a high school education or less the household was **more likely** than those with higher education to answer "No" to the question.

High school or less = 10% compared to More than High School = 5%

City versus Country

Households living in a city or town were **almost as likely as** those in the country or rural county area to answer "No" to the question.

City = 6% compared to Country = 7%

The Highlights

You are more likely to have difficulty accessing medical care if:

- You have an income of \$15,000-29,999
- Are single with children
- Are employed
- Live in South section of Grant County
- Are a renter
- Live in a household with a disabled family member
- Have a high school education or less

The Question

Do you and/or all of your family members have a doctor or medical clinic you can regularly be seen at and afford to visit?

Quality of Life

Dental Care

The Question

Do you and/or all of your family members have a dentist or dental clinic you can regularly be seen at and afford to visit?

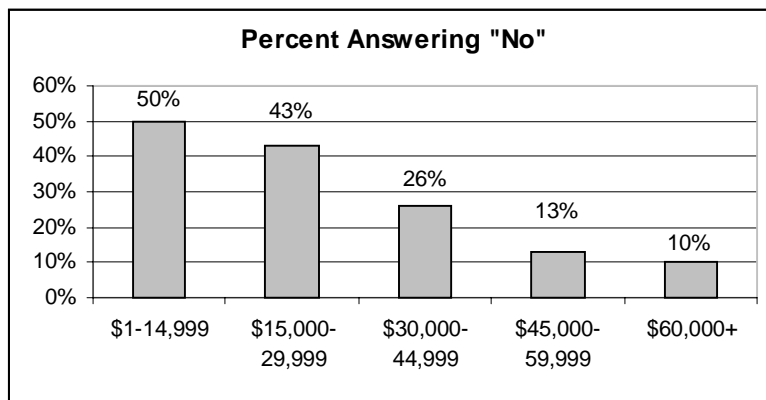
74% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
26% said "No"

(A total of 651 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

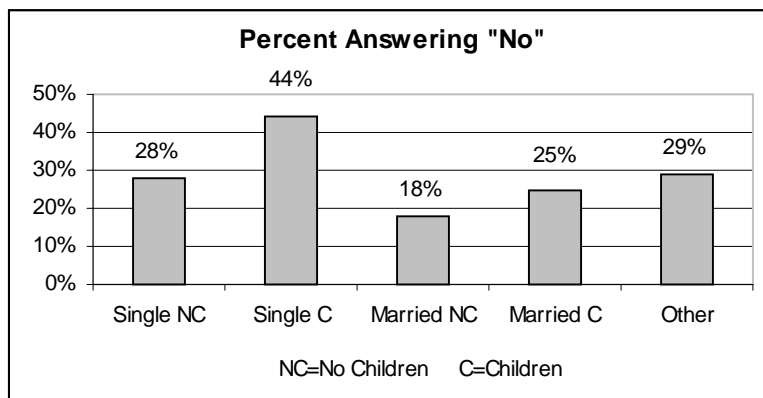
When different types of people living within Grant County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



1 in 2 households with an income of \$14,999 answered "No" to the question.

... By Living Arrangement



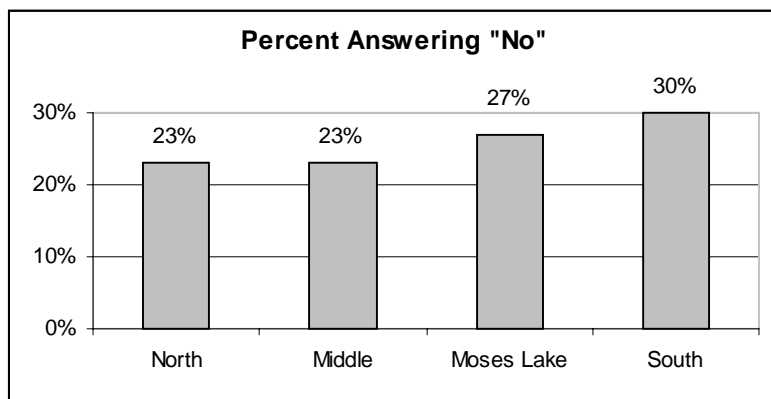
Single person households with children were **more likely** than any other group to say "No".

... By Employment Status

Individuals who identified their household income as coming from employment were **less likely** than those who were not employed to answer "No" to the question.

23% of employed Grant County residents answered "No"
31% of non-employed persons said "No"

... By Geographic Location



Households in the South section of Grant County were **more likely** than those in other locations to answer "No" to the question.

... Quick Comparisons

Renters versus Home Owners

Renters were **more likely** than Home Owners to answer "No" to the question.
Renters = 42% compared to Owners = 22%

Disabled versus Non-Disabled

Households with a disabled family member were **more likely** than households with no disabled members to answer "No" to the question.
Disabled Member = 44% compared to Non-Disabled Member = 20%

Senior versus Non-Senior

Households with individuals age 65+ (seniors) were **more likely** than non-senior households to answer "No" to the question.
Seniors = 27% compared to Non-Seniors = 25%

High School Education or Less versus More than a High School Education

When the Head of the Household had a high school education or less the household was **more likely** than those with higher education to answer "No" to the question.
High school or less = 39% compared to More than High School = 20%

City versus Country

Households living in a city or town were **almost as likely as** those in the country or rural county area to answer "No" to the question.
City = 25% compared to Country = 26%

The Highlights

You are more likely to have difficulty accessing dental care if:

- You have an income of \$14,999 or less
- Are single with children
- Are not employed
- Live in South section of Grant County
- Are a renter
- Live in a household with a disabled family member
- Live in household with a senior
- Have a high school education or less

The Question

Do you and/or all of your family members have a dentist or dental clinic you can regularly be seen at and afford to visit?

Quality of Life

Preventative Care

The Question

In the last year have you and/or your family been to a doctor or clinic for preventative health check ups?

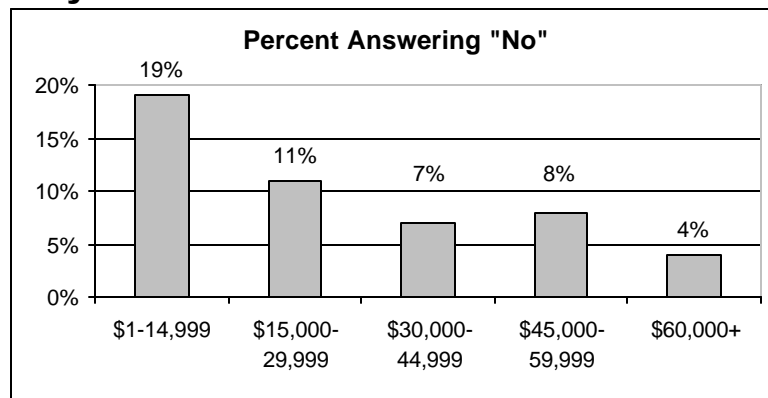
71% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
9% said "No"
20% said "Some"

(A total of 655 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

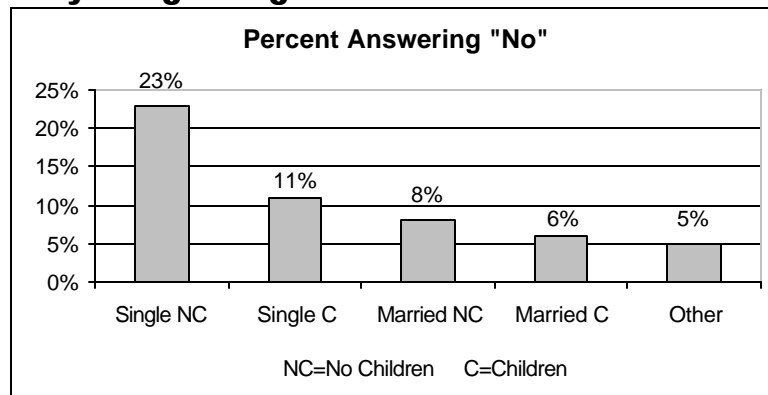
When different types of people living within Grant County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Households with an income of \$14,999 or less were **twice as likely** as all county households to say "No" to the question (19% compared to 9%).

... By Living Arrangement



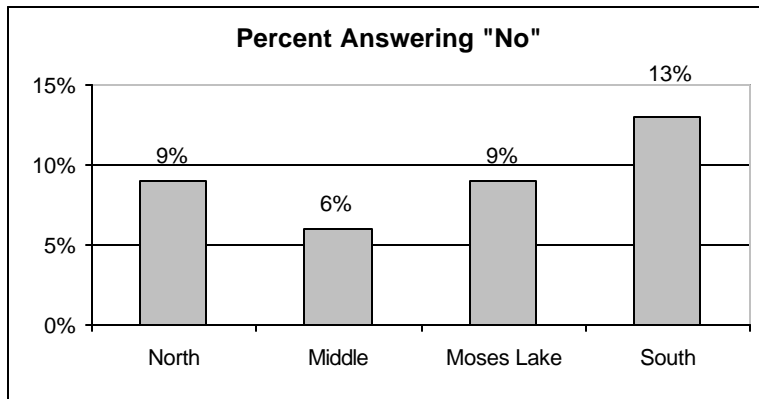
Nearly 1 in 4 single person households without children said "No" to the question.

... By Employment Status

Individuals who identified their household income as coming from employment were **less likely** than those who were not employed to answer "No" to the question.

9% of employed Grant County residents answered "No"
11% of non-employed persons said "No"

... By Geographic Location



Households in the South section of Grant County were **more likely** than those from other locations to answer "No" to the question.

... Quick Comparisons

Renters versus Home Owners

Renters were **more likely** than Home Owners to answer "No" to the question.

Renters = 14% compared to Owners = 8%

Disabled versus Non-Disabled

Households with a disabled family member were **almost as likely as** households with no disabled members to answer "No" to the question.

Disabled Member = 9% compared to Non-Disabled Member = 10%

Senior versus Non-Senior

Households with individuals age 65+ (seniors) were **as likely as** non-senior households to answer "No" to the question.

Seniors = 9% compared to Non-Seniors = 9%

High School Education or Less versus More than a High School Education

When the Head of the Household had a high school education or less the household was **more likely** than those with higher education to answer "No" to the question.

High school or less = 18% compared to More than High School = 6%

City versus Country

Households living in a city or town were **almost as likely as** those in the country or rural county area to answer "No" to the question.

City = 12% compared to Country = 11%

The Highlights

You are more likely to have difficulty accessing preventative care if:

- You have an income of \$14,999 or less
- Are single with children
- Are not employed
- Live in South section of Grant County
- Are a renter
- Have a high school education or less

The Question

In the last year have you and/or your family been to a doctor or clinic for preventative health check ups?

Quality of Life

Health Crisis

The Question

In the last year have you and/or your family had to deal with a health crisis?

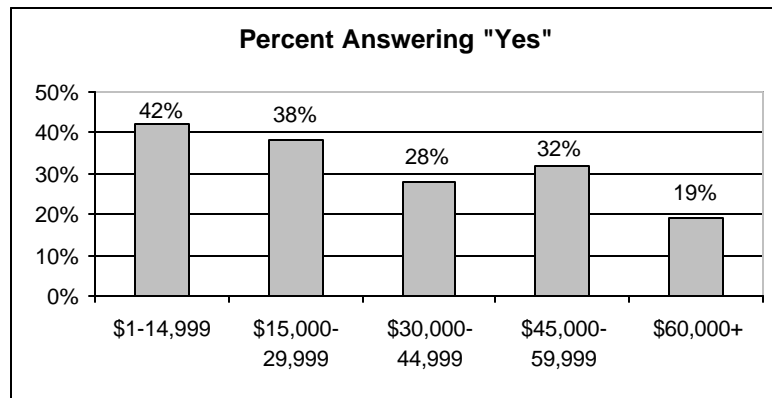
29% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
71% said "No"

(A total of 601 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

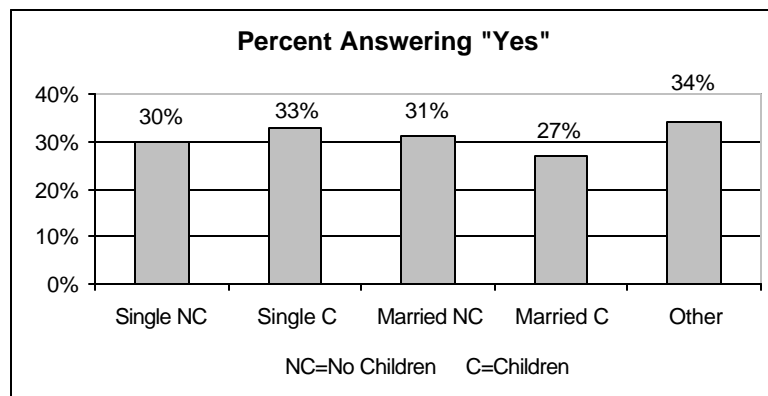
When different types of people living within Grant County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Households with an income of \$14,999 or less were **more likely** than any other group to say "Yes" to the question. However, a large portion of households in the \$15,000-29,999 income bracket also said "Yes".

... By Living Arrangement



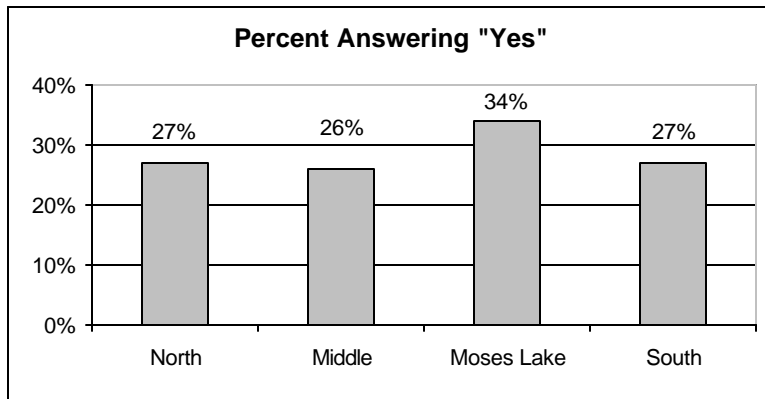
Households who were described as Other and single person households with children were **more likely** than any other group to say "Yes" to the question.

... By Employment Status

Individuals who identified their household income as coming from employment were **less likely** than those who were not employed to answer "Yes" to the question.

24% of employed Grant County residents answered "Yes"
39% of non-employed persons said "Yes"

... By Geographic Location



Households in Moses Lake were **more likely** than those from other locations to answer "Yes" to the question.

... Quick Comparisons

Renters versus Home Owners

Renters were **more likely** than Home Owners to answer "Yes" to the question.

Renters = 39% compared to Owners = 28%

Disabled versus Non-Disabled

Households with a disabled family member were **more likely** than households with no disabled members to answer "Yes" to the question.

Disabled Member = 63% compared to Non-Disabled Member = 17%

Senior versus Non-Senior

Households with individuals age 65+ (seniors) were **more likely** than non-senior households to answer "Yes" to the question.

Seniors = 35% compared to Non-Seniors = 27%

High School Education or Less versus More than a High School Education

When the Head of the Household had a high school education or less the household was **almost as likely as** those with higher education to answer "Yes" to the question.

High school or less = 30% compared to More than High School = 29%

City versus Country

Households living in a city or town were **less likely** than those in the country or rural county area to answer "Yes" to the question.

City = 27% compared to Country = 32%

The Highlights

You are more likely to have experienced a health crisis in the last year if:

- You have an income of \$14,999 or less
- Are a household described as other
- Are not employed
- Live in Moses Lake
- Are a renter
- Live in a household with a disabled family member
- Live in a household with a senior
- Live in the country

The Question

In the last year have you and/or your family had to deal with a health crisis?

Quality of Life

Family Crisis

The Question

In the last year have you and/or your family had to deal with a family crisis?

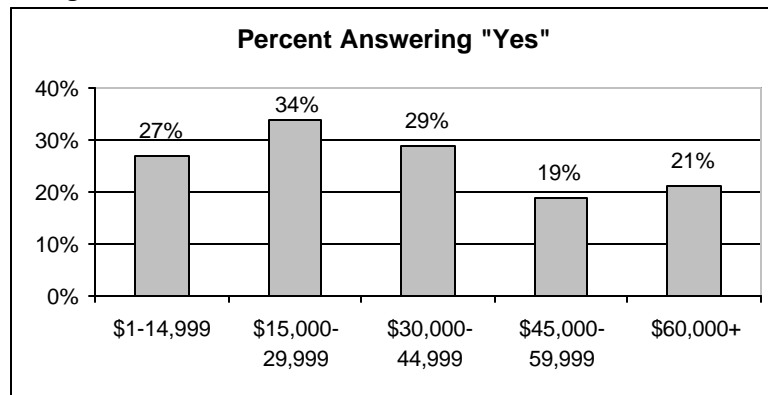
26% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
74% said "No"

(A total of 583 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

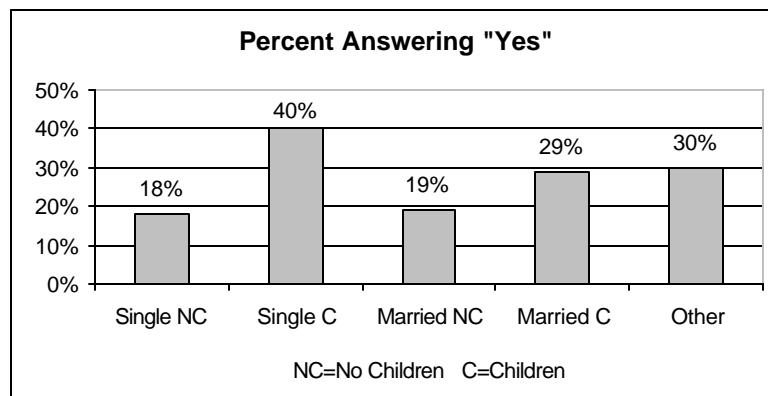
When different types of people living within Grant County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Households with an income of \$15,000-29,999 were **more likely** than any other group to say "Yes" to the question. However, a large portion of households in the \$14,999 or less and \$30,000-44,999 income bracket also said "Yes".

... By Living Arrangement



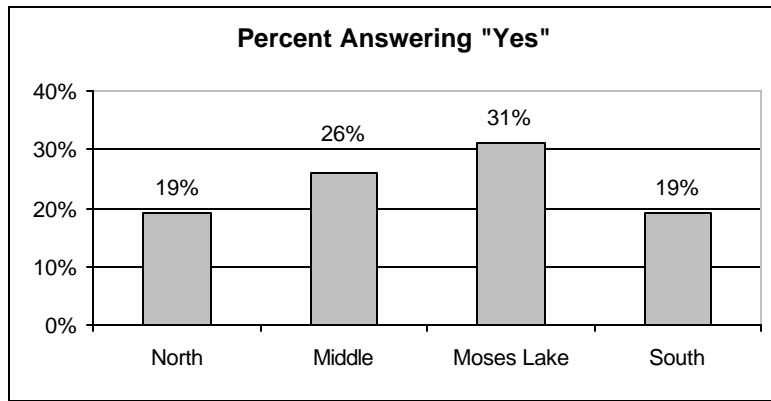
Single person households with children were **more likely** than all other groups to say "Yes" to the question.

... By Employment Status

Individuals who identified their household income as coming from employment were **more likely** than those who were not employed to answer "Yes" to the question.

29% of employed Grant County residents answered "Yes"
19% of non-employed persons said "Yes"

... By Geographic Location



Households in Moses Lake were **more likely** than those from other locations to answer "Yes" to the question.

... Quick Comparisons

Renters versus Home Owners

Renters were **more likely** than Home Owners to answer "Yes" to the question.

Renters = 37% compared to Owners = 23%

Disabled versus Non-Disabled

Households with a disabled family member were **more likely** than households with no disabled members to answer "Yes" to the question.

Disabled Member = 42% compared to Non-Disabled Member = 21%

Senior versus Non-Senior

Households with individuals age 65+ (seniors) were **less likely** than non-senior households to answer "Yes" to the question.

Seniors = 17% compared to Non-Seniors = 28%

High School Education or Less versus More than a High School Education

When the Head of the Household had a high school education or less the household was **less likely** than those with higher education to answer "Yes" to the question.

High school or less = 25% compared to More than High School = 27%

City versus Country

Households living in a city or town were **almost as likely as** those in the country or rural county area to answer "Yes" to the question.

City = 25% compared to Country = 26%

The Highlights

You are more likely to have experienced a family crisis in the last year if:

- You have an income of \$15,000-29,999
- Are single with children
- Are employed
- Live in Moses Lake
- Are a renter
- Live in a household with a disabled family member
- Live in a non-senior household
- Have a more than a high school education

The Question

In the last year have you and/or your family had to deal with a family crisis?

Children in Trouble

... The Question

Have any of the children in your family been in trouble at school in the last year (such as missing too much school, getting suspended or in fights)?

12% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
88% said "No"

(A total of 203 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on households with children age 5-17)

... The Question

If you have children at home, have they been in trouble with the police or the courts in the last year?

6% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
94% said "No"

(A total of 248 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on households with children)

Out of School Time

... The Question

(If there are children between the ages of 8-14 in the family:)

Do all of them have an adult regularly watching them or supervising their after-school activities?

81% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
19% said "No"

(A total of 134 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on households with children in the specified age group)

... The Question

(If there are children between the ages of 15-17 in the family:)

Do you have any concerns about how they are spending their out of school time?

29% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
71% said "No"

(A total of 103 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on households with children in the specified age group)

Activity Involvement

... The Question

(If there are children between the ages of 8-14 in the family:)

Do any of them participate in organized after-school activities through a school or other community organization?

56% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
44% said "No"

(A total of 131 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on households with children in the specified age group)

... The Question

(If there are children between the ages of 15-17 in the family:)

Do any of them participate in organized after-school activities through a school or other community organization?

66% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
34% said "No"

(A total of 100 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on households with children in the specified age group)

Educational Involvement

... The Question

(If there are children between the ages of 3-5 in the family:)

Are any of them attending preschool?

36% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
64% said "No"

(A total of 102 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on households with children in the specified age group)

... The Question

(If there are children between the ages of 5-17 in the family:)

Are they regularly attending school?

94% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
6% said "No"

(A total of 207 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on households with children in the specified age group)

Quality of Life

Social Support

The Question

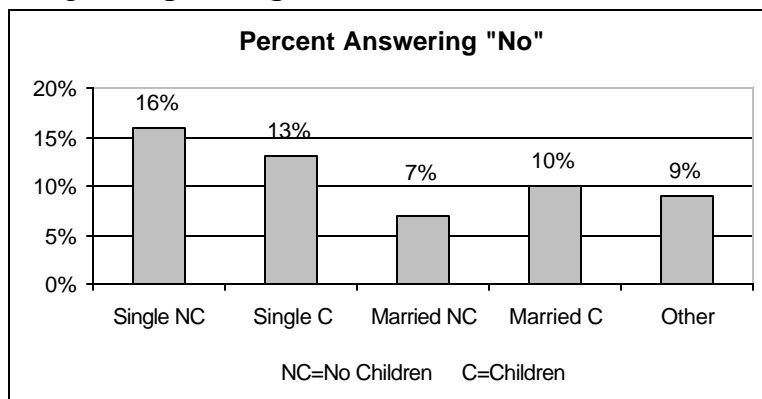
Do you have someone in your life who: Could help you deal with a personal problem?

90% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
10% said "No"

(A total of 629 people from the county answered this survey question)

When different types of people living within Grant County are compared to each other...

... By Living Arrangement



Single person households without children were **more likely** than other groups to answer "No" to the question. However, at least **1 in 10** people who were single, single with children or married with children said "No".

The Question

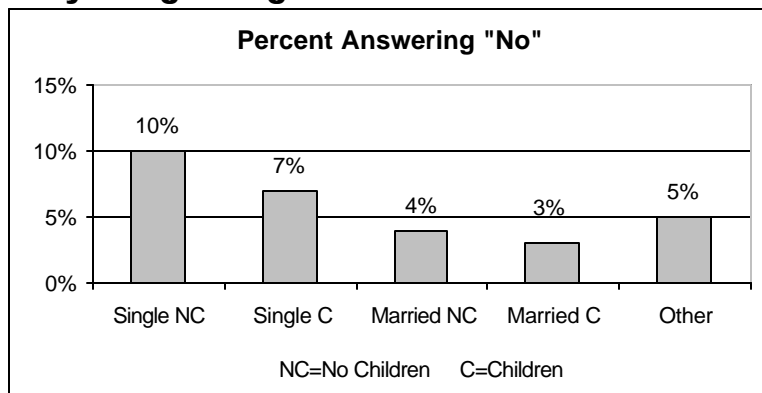
Do you have someone in your life who: Could take you to the doctor if you needed it?

95% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
5% said "No"

(A total of 640 people from the county answered this survey question)

When different types of people living within Grant County are compared to each other...

... By Living Arrangement



Single person households without children were **more likely** than other groups to answer "No" to the question.

The Question

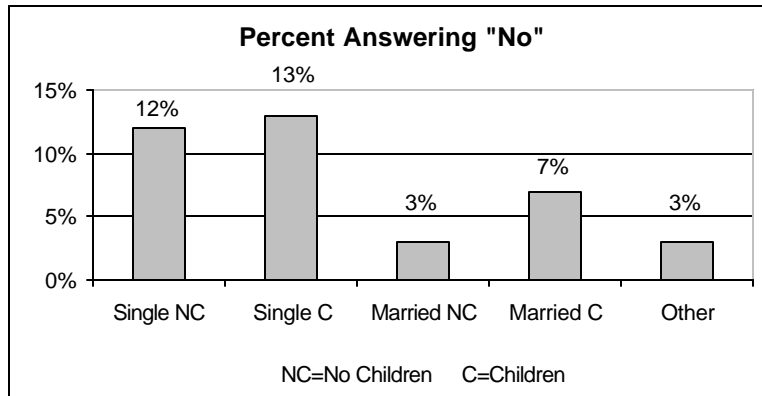
Do you have someone in your life who: You can confide in or talk to?

93% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
7% said "No"

(A total of 633 people from the county answered this survey question)

When different types of people living within Grant County are compared to each other...

... By Living Arrangement



Single person households with and without children were **more likely** than other groups to answer "No" to the question. Single person households with children were nearly **twice as likely** to say "No" compared to all county households (13% compared to 7%).

The Question

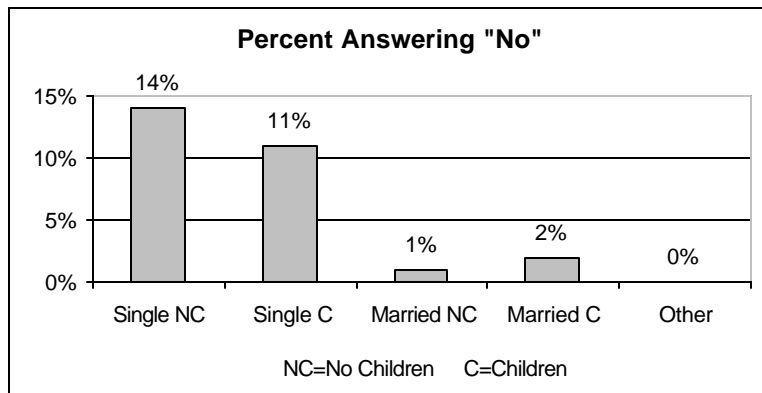
Do you have someone in your life who: Makes you feel loved and wanted?

96% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
4% said "No"

(A total of 625 people from the county answered this survey question)

When different types of people living within Grant County are compared to each other...

... By Living Arrangement



Single person households without children were **more likely** than other groups to answer "No" to the question. Single person households with and without children were nearly **three times as likely** to say "No" compared to all county households.

The Question

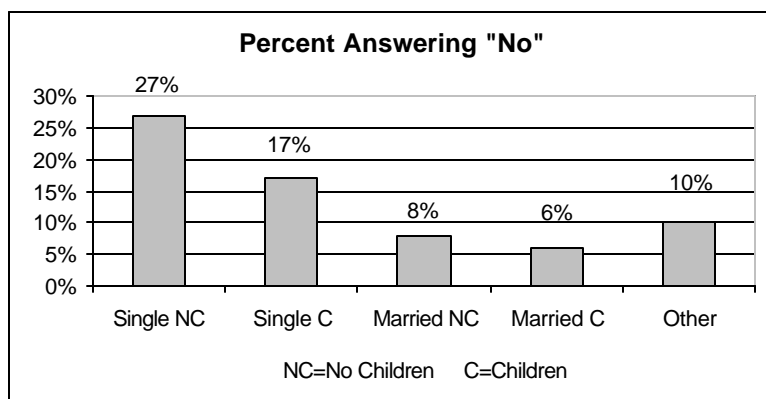
Do you have someone in your life who: Could help you if you were sick and unable to do daily chores?

89% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
11% said "No"

(A total of 617 people from the county answered this survey question)

When different types of people living within Grant County are compared to each other...

... By Living Arrangement



Single person households without children were **more likely** than other groups to answer "No" to the question.

Quick Comparisons

(Do you have someone in your life who:)
Could help you deal with a personal problem?

Seniors = 8% compared to Non-Seniors = 11%
Households with individuals age 65+ (seniors) were **less likely** than non-senior households to answer "No" to the question.

Could take you to the doctor if you needed it?

Seniors = 7% compared to Non-Seniors = 4%
Households with individuals age 65+ (seniors) were **more likely** than non-senior households to answer "No" to the question.

You can confide in or talk to?

Seniors = 5% compared to Non-Seniors = 8%
Households with individuals age 65+ (seniors) were **less likely** than non-senior households to answer "No" to the question.

Makes you feel loved and wanted?

Seniors = 3% compared to Non-Seniors = 5%
Households with individuals age 65+ (seniors) were **less likely** than non-senior households to answer "No" to the question.

Could help you if you were sick and unable to do daily chores?

Seniors = 15% compared to Non-Seniors = 10%
Households with individuals age 65+ (seniors) were **more likely** than non-senior households to answer "No" to the question.

Quality of Life

Perceived Inequity

The Question

Have you or anyone in your family been denied housing or a job because of race, sex, age, or economic background?

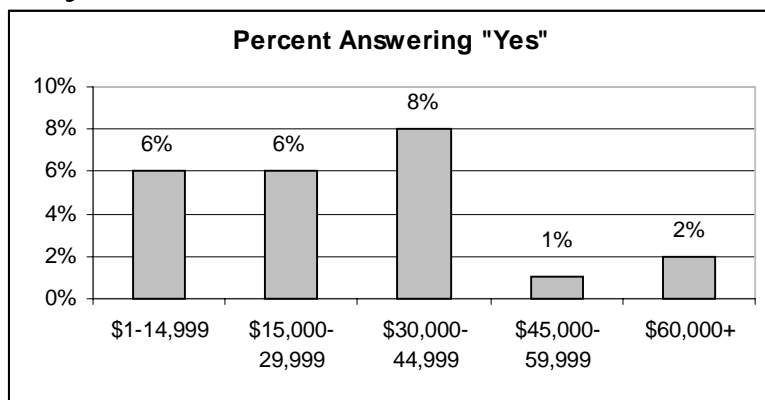
5% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
95% said "No"

(A total of 651 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

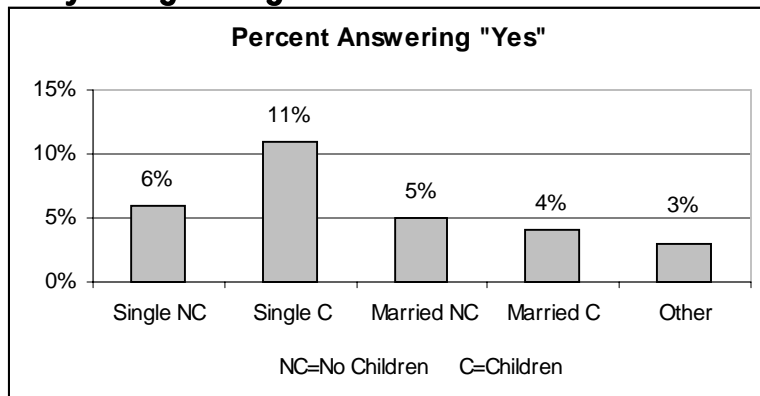
When different types of people living within Grant County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Households with an income of \$30,000-44,999 were **more likely** than other groups to answer "Yes" to the question.

... By Living Arrangement



Single person households with children were **more likely** than any other group to answer "Yes" to this question.

... By Race or Ethnicity

Individuals who identified themselves as Non-White (Asian, American Indian, Black, Hispanic and Other than White) were **more likely** than people who identified themselves as White to answer "Yes" to the question.

20% of Non-White Grant County residents answered "Yes"
3% of White residents said "Yes"

The Question

Has your ethnic or cultural background negatively affected or made it difficult for you and/or your family to receive help from local services and organizations?

4% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
96% said "No"

(A total of 629 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

When different types of people living within Grant County are compared to each other...

... By Race or Ethnicity

Individuals who identified themselves as Non-White (Asian, American Indian, Black, Hispanic and Other than White) were **as likely as** people who identified themselves as White to answer "Yes" to the question.

4% of Non-White Grant County residents answered "Yes"
4% of White residents said "Yes"

Quality of Life

Self Improvement

The Question

Do you and/or any other adult member of your family hope to return to school for further education over the next year?

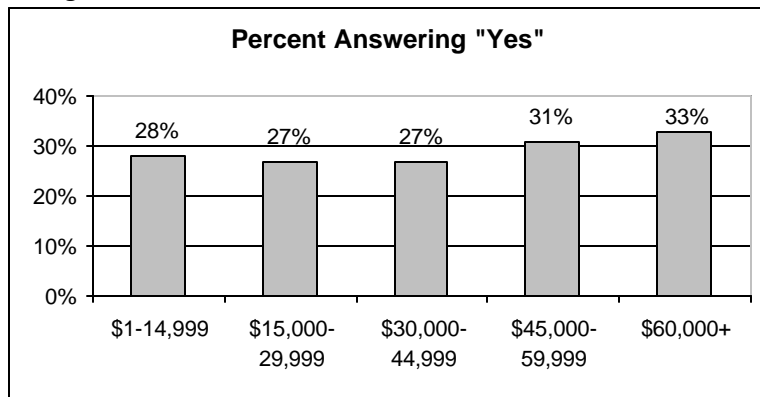
28% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
72% said "No"

(A total of 652 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

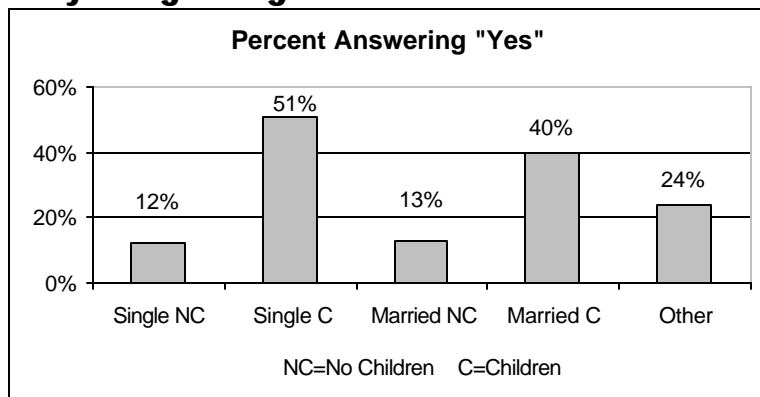
When different types of people living within Grant County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Households with an income of \$60,000 or more were **more likely** than other groups to say "Yes" to the question. However, a large portion of other income bracket groups also said "Yes".

... By Living Arrangement



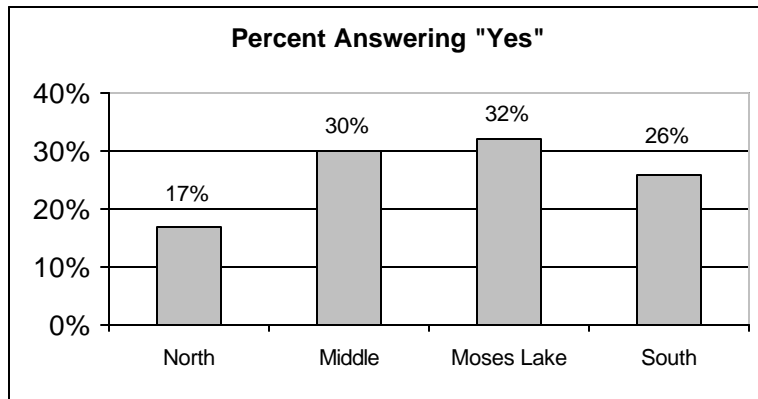
Nearly **1 in 2** single person households with children answered "Yes" to the question.

... By Employment Status

Individuals who identified their household income as coming from employment were **more likely** than those who were not employed to answer "Yes" to the question.

37% of employed Grant County residents answered "Yes"
11% of non-employed persons said "Yes"

... By Geographic Location



Households in Moses Lake were **more likely** than those from other locations to answer "Yes" to the question. However, nearly **1 in 3** households in Middle Grant County and Moses Lake said "Yes".

... Quick Comparisons

Renters versus Home Owners

Renters were **more likely** than Home Owners to answer "Yes" to the question.
Renters = 42% compared to Owners = 24%

Disabled versus Non-Disabled

Households with a disabled family member were **less likely** than households with no disabled members to answer "Yes" to the question.
Disabled Member = 21% compared to Non-Disabled Member = 31%

Senior versus Non-Senior

Households with individuals age 65+ (seniors) were **less likely** than non-senior households to answer "Yes" to the question.
Seniors = 8% compared to Non-Seniors = 36%

High School Education or Less versus More than a High School Education

When the Head of the Household had a high school education or less the household was **less likely** than those with higher education to answer "Yes" to the question.
High school or less = 18% compared to More than High School = 32%

City versus Country

Households living in a city or town were **more likely** than those in the country or rural county area to answer "Yes" to the question.
City = 29% compared to Country = 26%

The Highlights

You are more likely to be interested in improving yourself through additional education if:

- You have an income of \$60,000 or more
- Are single with children
- Are employed
- Live in Moses Lake
- Are a renter
- Live in a household with no disabled members
- Live in a non-senior household
- Have a more than a high school education
- Live in the city

The Question

Do you and/or any other adult member of your family hope to return to school for further education over the next year?

Quality of Life

Safe Home

The Question

Do you feel safe in your home?

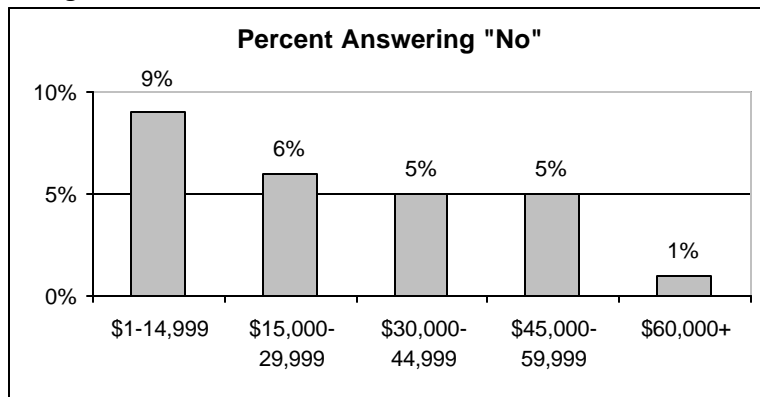
96% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
4% said "No"

(A total of 653 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

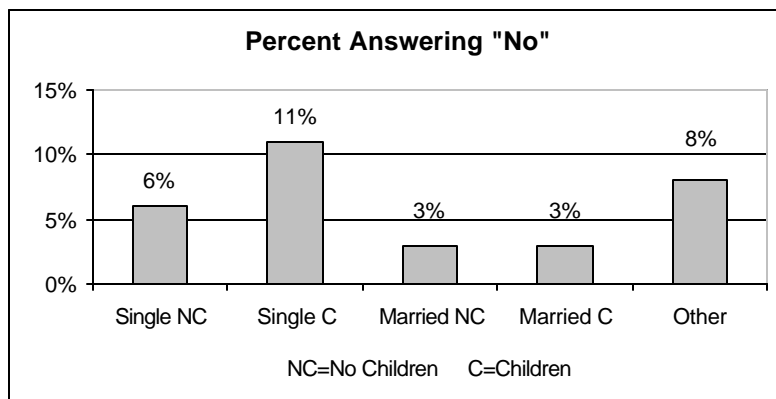
When different types of people living within Grant County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Households with an income of \$14,999 or less were **more likely** than any other group to say "No" to the question.

... By Living Arrangement



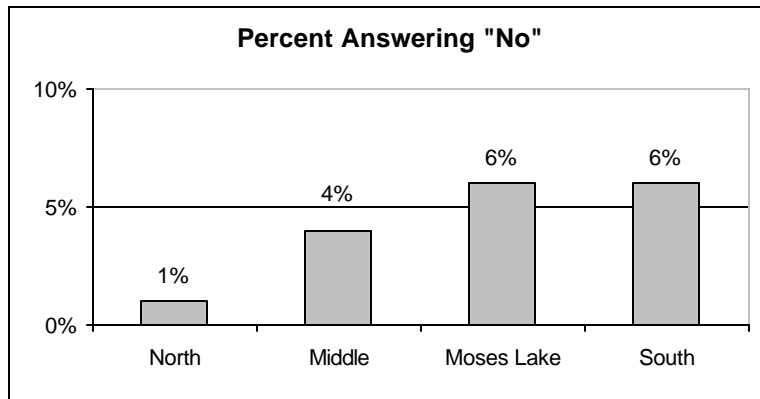
Single person households with children were nearly **three times as likely** as all county households to say "No" to the question (11% compared to 4%).

... By Employment Status

Individuals who identified their household income as coming from employment were **less likely** than those who were not employed to answer "No" to the question.

4% of employed Grant County residents answered "No"
6% of non-employed persons said "No"

... By Geographic Location



Households in Moses Lake and the South section of the county were **more likely** than those from other locations to answer "No" to the question.

... Quick Comparisons

Renters versus Home Owners

Renters were **more likely** than Home Owners to answer "No" to the question.
Renters = 9% compared to Owners = 3%

Disabled versus Non-Disabled

Households with a disabled family member were **more likely** than households with no disabled members to answer "No" to the question.
Disabled Member = 12% compared to Non-Disabled Member = 2%

Senior versus Non-Senior

Households with individuals age 65+ (seniors) were **almost as likely as** non-senior households to answer "No" to the question.
Seniors = 4% compared to Non-Seniors = 5%

High School Education or Less versus More than a High School Education

When the Head of the Household had a high school education or less the household was **more likely** than those with higher education to answer "No" to the question.
High school or less = 7% compared to More than High School = 4%

City versus Country

Households living in a city or town were **more likely** than those in the country or rural county area to answer "No" to the question.
City = 5% compared to Country = 2%

The Highlights

You are more likely to feel unsafe in your home if:

- You have an income of \$14,999 or less
- Are single with children
- Are not employed
- Live in Moses Lake or the South section of Grant County
- Are a renter
- Live in a household with a disabled family member
- Have a high school education or less
- Live in the city

The Question

Do you feel safe in your
home?

Quality of Life

Safe Community

The Question

Do you feel safe in the city or area where you live?

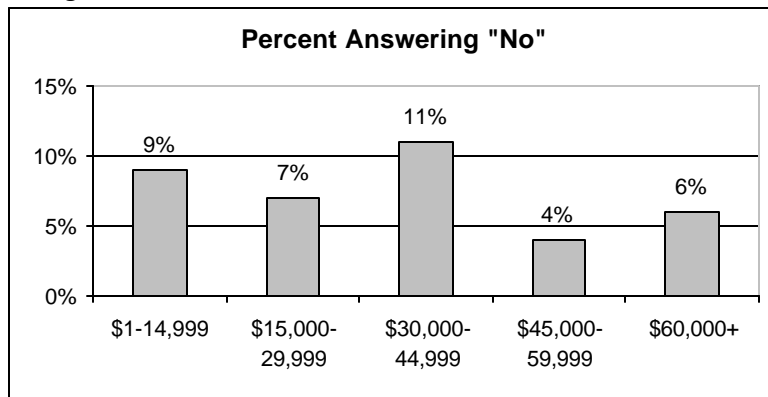
93% of all Grant County households answered "Yes"
7% said "No"

(A total of 652 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Difference

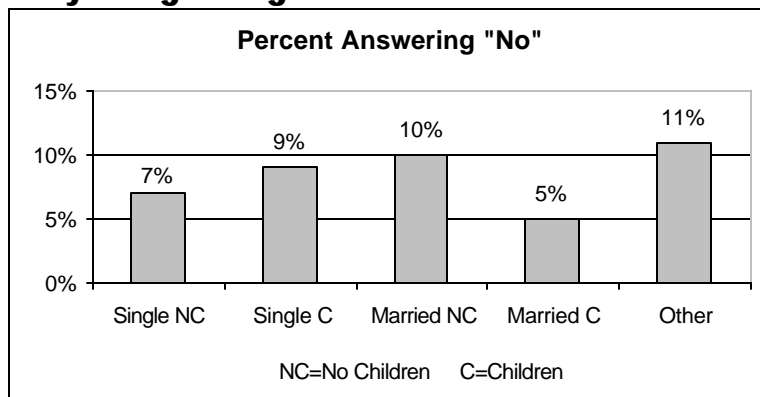
When different types of people living within Grant County are compared to each other...

... By Annual Income



Households with an income between \$30,000-44,999 were **more likely** than any other group to say "No" to the question. However, nearly **1 in 10** households with an income of \$14,999 or less also said "No".

... By Living Arrangement



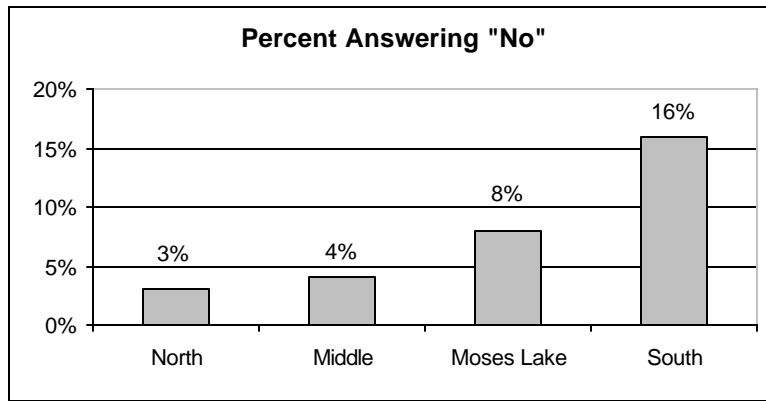
Households who were described as Other were **more likely** than any other group to say "No" to the question.

... By Employment Status

Individuals who identified their household income as coming from employment were **almost as likely** as those who were not employed to answer "No" to the question.

7% of employed Grant County residents answered "No"
8% of non-employed persons said "No"

... By Geographic Location



Households in the South section of the county were **two times more likely** than all county households to answer "No" to the question (16% compared to 7%).

... Quick Comparisons

Renters versus Home Owners

Renters were **almost as likely as** Home Owners to answer "No" to the question.

Renters = 8% compared to Owners = 7%

Disabled versus Non-Disabled

Households with a disabled family member were **more likely** than households with no disabled members to answer "No" to the question.

Disabled Member = 12% compared to Non-Disabled Member = 6%

Senior versus Non-Senior

Households with individuals age 65+ (seniors) were **more likely** than non-senior households to answer "No" to the question.

Seniors = 9% compared to Non-Seniors = 7%

High School Education or Less versus More than a High School Education

When the Head of the Household had a high school education or less the household was **less likely** than those with higher education to answer "No" to the question.

High school or less = 6% compared to More than High School = 8%

City versus Country

Households living in a city or town were **less likely** than those in the country or rural county area to answer "No" to the question.

City = 6% compared to Country = 9%

The Highlights

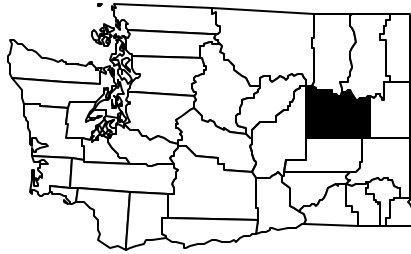
You are more likely to feel unsafe in your community if:

- You have an income between \$30,000-44,999
- Are a household described as other
- Live in the South section of Grant County
- Live in a household with a disabled family member
- Live in a household with a senior
- Have more than a high school education
- Live in the country

The Question

Do you feel safe in the city or area where you live?

Profiles of Daily Living Lincoln County



Basic Needs

Lincoln County

Overall

... The Question

Have you found it difficult to make a living and provide for your basic needs in the past year?

25% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
75% said "No"

(A total of 253 people from the county answered this survey question)

Food

... The Question

Have you had to go without food or been concerned about having enough food for yourself and/or your family in the past year?

6% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
94% said "No"

(A total of 257 people from the county answered this survey question)

Clothing

... The Question

Do you have adequate clothing for yourself and/or your family?

96% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
4% said "No"

(A total of 254 people from the county answered this survey question)

Shelter

... The Question

Have you had difficulty finding a place to live in the past year?

1% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
99% said "No"

(A total of 252 people from the county answered this survey question)

Transportation

... The Question

Do you and/or your family frequently have trouble getting to the places you need to go because of transportation problems?

5% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
95% said "No"

(A total of 253 people from the county answered this survey question)

Health Insurance

... The Question

Does every family member in the home have some form of medical or health insurance?

94% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
6% said "No"

(A total of 245 people from the county answered this survey question)

Going Without

... The Question

As a result of your financial situation have you and/or your family had to go without any of the following in the last year?

Medical Care

7% of all Lincoln County households said "Yes"
93% said "No"

(A total of 218 people from the county answered this survey question)

Utilities

2% of all Lincoln County households said "Yes"
98% said "No"

(A total of 214 people from the county answered this survey question)

Prescription Medicine

6% of all Lincoln County households said "Yes"
94% said "No"

(A total of 215 people from the county answered this survey question)

Insurance

7% of all Lincoln County households said "Yes"
93% said "No"

(A total of 218 people from the county answered this survey question)

Dental Care

19% of all Lincoln County households said "Yes"
81% said "No"

(A total of 226 people from the county answered this survey question)

Clothing

7% of all Lincoln County households said "Yes"
93% said "No"

(A total of 215 people from the county answered this survey question)

Food

3% of all Lincoln County households said "Yes"
97% said "No"

(A total of 213 people from the county answered this survey question)

Paying Certain Bills

18% of all Lincoln County households said "Yes"
82% said "No"

(A total of 222 people from the county answered this survey question)

Child Care

0% of all Lincoln County households said "Yes"
100% said "No"

(A total of 72 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on households with children age 0-17)

Stable Employment

... The Question

Do you see your employment as being stable over the next year?

90% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
10% said "No"

(A total of 172 people from the county answered this survey question)

More than 1 Job

... The Question

Do any of the working adults have more than one job?

24% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
76% said "No"

(A total of 177 people from the county answered this survey question)

Employment Barriers

... The Question

Has your educational level, transportation or child care issues affected your getting a job or keeping a job?

11% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
89% said "No"

(A total of 244 people from the county answered this survey question)

Financial Crisis

... The Question

In the last year have you and/or your family had to deal with a financial crisis?

19% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
81% said "No"

(A total of 232 people from the county answered this survey question)

Financial Cushion

... The Question

After you pay your bills, do you have money to set aside and save?

53% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
47% said "No"

(A total of 251 people from the county answered this survey question)

Debt

... The Question

Do you and/or your family have outstanding financial debts (not counting home or vehicle loans)?

45% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
55% said "No"

(A total of 243 people from the county answered this survey question)

Monthly Debt

... The Question

Do you and/or your family have outstanding financial debts (not counting home or vehicle loans)?
If you answered yes, how much do you spend per month to pay for the debt?

Of all Lincoln County households answering "Yes" the
median monthly debt payment was **\$300**

(Based on households with outstanding debt)

Medical Care

... The Question

Do you and/or all of your family members have a doctor or medical clinic you can regularly be seen at and afford to visit?

7% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
93% said "No"

(A total of 218 people from the county answered this survey question)

Dental Care

... The Question

Do you and/or all of your family members have a dentist or dental clinic you can regularly be seen at and afford to visit?

19% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
81% said "No"

(A total of 226 people from the county answered this survey question)

Preventative Care

... The Question

In the last year have you and/or your family been to a doctor or clinic for preventative health check ups?

71% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
8% said "No"
21% said "Some"

(A total of 250 people from the county answered this survey question)

Health Crisis

... The Question

In the last year have you and/or your family had to deal with a health crisis?

26% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
74% said "No"

(A total of 235 people from the county answered this survey question)

Family Crisis

... The Question

In the last year have you and/or your family had to deal with a family crisis?

15% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
85% said "No"

(A total of 224 people from the county answered this survey question)

Children in Trouble

... The Question

Have any of the children in your family been in trouble at school in the last year (such as missing too much school, getting suspended or in fights)?

13% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
87% said "No"

(A total of 69 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on households with children age 5-17)

... The Question

If you have children at home, have they been in trouble with the police or the courts in the last year?

5% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
95% said "No"

(A total of 86 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on households with children)

Out of School Time (Children)

... The Question

(If there are children between the ages of 8-14 in the family:)

Do all of them have an adult regularly watching them or supervising their after-school activities?

67% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
33% said "No"

(A total of 52 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on households with children in the specified age group)

... The Question

(If there are children between the ages of 15-17 in the family:)

Do you have any concerns about how they are spending their out of school time?

12% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
88% said "No"

(A total of 33 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on households with children in the specified age group)

Activity Involvement (Children)

... The Question

(If there are children between the ages of 8-14 in the family:)

Do any of them participate in organized after-school activities through a school or other community organization?

76% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
24% said "No"

(A total of 51 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on households with children in the specified age group)

... The Question

(If there are children between the ages of 15-17 in the family:)

Do any of them participate in organized after-school activities through a school or other community organization?

82% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
18% said "No"

(A total of 34 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on households with children in the specified age group)

Educational Involvement

... The Question

(If there are children between the ages of 3-5 in the family:)

Are any of them attending preschool?

34% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
66% said "No"

(A total of 35 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on households with children in the specified age group)

... The Question

(If there are children between the ages of 5-17 in the family:)

Are they regularly attending school?

94% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
6% said "No"

(A total of 68 people from the county answered this survey question)
(Based on households with children in the specified age group)

Social Support

... The Question

Do you have someone in your life who: Could help you deal with a personal problem?

94% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
6% said "No"

(A total of 249 people from the county answered this survey question)

... The Question

Do you have someone in your life who: Could take you to the doctor if you needed it?

96% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
4% said "No"

(A total of 250 people from the county answered this survey question)

... The Question

Do you have someone in your life who: You can confide in or talk to?

94% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
6% said "No"

(A total of 251 people from the county answered this survey question)

... The Question

Do you have someone in your life who: Makes you feel loved and wanted?

96% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
4% said "No"

(A total of 247 people from the county answered this survey question)

... The Question

Do you have someone in your life who: Could help you if you were sick and unable to do daily chores?

91% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
9% said "No"

(A total of 238 people from the county answered this survey question)

Perceived Inequity

... The Question

Have you or anyone in your family been denied housing or a job because of race, sex, age, or economic background?

2% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
98% said "No"

(A total of 248 people from the county answered this survey question)

... The Question

Has your ethnic or cultural background negatively affected or made it difficult for you and/or your family to receive help from local services and organizations?

0% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
100% said "No"

(A total of 248 people from the county answered this survey question)

Self Improvement

... The Question

Do you and/or any other adult member of your family hope to return to school for further education over the next year?

18% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
82% said "No"

(A total of 253 people from the county answered this survey question)

Safe Home

... The Question

Do you feel safe in your home?

97% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
3% said "No"

(A total of 253 people from the county answered this survey question)

Safe Community

... The Question

Do you feel safe in the city or area where you live?

97% of all Lincoln County households answered "Yes"
3% said "No"

(A total of 256 people from the county answered this survey question)

The Question

What do you like about the community you live in?

... Some Answers

Feeling safe, opportunities for kids to be part of the community through sports and academic accomplishments.

It's a small town with lots of community support and involvement in city government, schools, and churches.

It's home. We know many of the people and have a community-family feeling.

Small size, quality public school, low-crime (safe), reliable friends.

Everybody knows everybody, lots of volunteer activities, plenty to-do, and people help each other.

Small quiet informal, still close enough to city where you can shop or find entertainment when you want it.

Hospital, six doctors, good clinic, good churches, schools, 2 grocery stores, county seat, friendly people.

We are left alone and not asked to fill out papers like this ☺.

It's a small community where neighbors are more than happy to help you out. I feel safe and have a good job.

The Question

What do you think are the strengths of your community?

... Some Answers

Pace of life, the people, quiet, wholesome, positive environment for my children.

Cohesiveness, charitable organizations, community involvement.

Religious structure, concerned and caring community members.

Basketball and farming.

Survey Report

Crosstabs

The Difference

When you cross two different sets of data to see if there are differences between groups you develop a set of crosstabulated data. The following survey questions were used when possible, to develop crosstabs within this report.

... By Annual Income

What was your and/or your family's total income in 2000?

... By Living Arrangement

Would you describe your home as being headed by: single person/no children, married couple/no children, single person/with children, married couple/with children, other.

... By Employment Status

Where does your income and/or your family's income come from?

... By Geographic Location

What county do you live in?

What is the zip code for your home (place of residence)?

... By Race or Ethnicity

What race or ethnicity are you and/or your family members?

... Quick Comparisons

Renters versus Home Owners

Do you rent or own your home?

Disabled versus Non-Disabled

Do you and/or any of your family members have long-term health conditions that make everyday living difficult or are considered disabling?

Senior versus Non-Senior

Of these people, how many are in the following age groups? - 65+ years old

High School Education or Less versus More than a High School Education

What is the highest level of education reached by the head of the household?

City versus Country

Would you describe your home as being in the: City/town or Country/rural

Employed in Agricultural Industry versus Employed in Non-Agricultural Industry

Are you and/or the head of the home employed in the agricultural industry?

(Used in Grant County section with Stable Employment and working More than 1 Job)

Please read the following statement:

Completing this survey is VOLUNTARY.

Any information you give on this survey is CONFIDENTIAL.

Please answer ALL THE QUESTIONS to the best of your ability.

If you do not wish to answer a question just skip it and go on to the next one.

Check or fill in all answers that apply to you and/or your family.**SECTION A. BASIC INFORMATION**

1. What county do you live in?

Adams ☐ Grant ☐ Lincoln ☐

2. What is the zip code for your home (place of residence)?

3. Would you describe yourself as:

Head of Household ☐

Spouse/Partner ☐

Family Member ☐

Other _____

SECTION B. ABOUT YOUR HOME AND PLACE WHERE YOU LIVE

1. How long have you lived at your current address?

Years _____ Months _____

2. Would you describe your home as being in the:

City/Town ☐ Country/Rural ☐

3a. How many people live in the home? Please include only yourself and/or your family.

Total # _____

3b. Of these people, how many are in the following age groups?

0-4 years old _____

18-29 years old _____

65+ years old _____

5-11 years old _____

30-49 years old _____

12-17 years old _____

50-64 years old _____

4. How many other people live in the home with you?

5. Do you rent or own your home?

Rent ☐

Buying/Own ☐

Other _____

6. How much do you or your family spend per month for rent or mortgage?

\$ _____

7a. Does a rent or mortgage payment cover other housing related costs, such as garbage, water, sewer, property taxes, renters/home insurance or flood insurance?

Yes ☐ No ☐

7b. How much do you or your family spend per month separately from rent or mortgage for other housing related costs, such as garbage, water, sewer, property taxes, renters/home insurance or flood insurance?

\$ _____

8. In the last year, have you and/or your family received help for your rent/home payments from a public source (such as Housing Authority or Community Action)?

Yes ☐ No ☐

9a. Have you had difficulty finding a place to live in the past year?

Yes ☐ No ☐

9b. If you answered yes, why? Because of income ☐ Bad credit ☐ Lost my home ☐

Size of family ☐ Because of my age ☐ Discrimination ☐ Other _____

10a. Have you lost your home in the last year?

Yes ☐ No ☐

10b. If you answered yes, why? Lost job/income ☐ Bills ☐ Evicted/landlord problems ☐

Condition of the home ☐ Family conflict/disruption ☐ Other _____

SECTION C. LIVING COSTS

1a. How much do you or your family spend per month on heating and/or cooling the home?

\$ _____

1b. If you pay a separate cost for lighting the home, how much per month do you or your family spend?

\$ _____

2. How much do you or your family spend per month for food (including foodstamps)?

\$ _____

3. How many people do you usually buy or provide food for?

4. Have you had to go without food or been concerned about having enough food for yourself and/or your family in the past year?

Yes ☐ No ☐

5. How much do you or your family spend per month for transportation? This would include costs for gas, rides, public transportation, car insurance, and car payments.

\$ _____

6. How much if anything do you pay for health insurance each month?

\$ _____

7a. Do you have a telephone or a way to get phone messages?

Yes ☐ No ☐

7b. How much do you spend per month on telephone use? \$ _____

8. How much do you and/or your family spend per month for the following:

- a. Cable or satellite \$ _____
- b. Internet use \$ _____
- c. Classes/training/youth activities \$ _____

9. After you pay your bills, do you have money to set aside and save?

Yes ☐ No ☐

10a. Have you found it difficult to make a living and provide for your basic needs in the past year?

Yes ☐ No ☐

10b. If you answered yes, please explain why? _____

11a. Do you have adequate clothing for yourself and/or your family?

Yes ☐ No ☐

11b. If you answered no, do you have the money to purchase what you need? Yes ☐ No ☐

SECTION D. INCOME AND EMPLOYMENT

1. About how much money do you have to live on per month from all sources before you pay any of your bills?

\$ _____

2. How many people contribute to your income and/or your family's income? _____

3. Where does your income and/or your family's income come from?

Employment ☐ Unemployment ☐ Veterans Benefits ☐

Public assistance/welfare ☐ Social Security ☐ SSI/Disability ☐

Retirement ☐ Child support ☐ Foodstamps ☐ Other _____

4a. How many family members are currently working? _____

4b. Of this number, how many are 18 or older? _____

For working adults:

5. Do any of the working adults have more than one job? Yes ☐ No ☐

6. Do you see your employment as being stable over the next year? Yes ☐ No ☐

7. Are you and/or the head of the home employed in the agricultural industry? Yes ☐ No ☐

8. Is the cost of health insurance covered in part or in full through employment? Yes ☐ No ☐

9a. Do you and/or your family have outstanding financial debts (not counting home or vehicle loans)?

Yes ☐ No ☐

9b. If you answered yes, how much do you spend per month to pay for the debt? \$ _____

10. As a result of your financial situation have you and/or your family had to go without any of the following in the last year?

- | | | | |
|---------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|--|
| a. Medical care | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> | f. Child care | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| b. Prescription medicine | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> | g. Utilities | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| c. Dental care | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> | h. Insurance | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| d. Food | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> | i. Clothing | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| e. Shelter | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> | j. Paying certain bills | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> |

SECTION E. TRANSPORTATION

1a. What is your or your family's current regular form(s) of local transportation?

- Do not have a regularly used way to get around ☐
- A car, truck or van that is owned or being paid for ☐
- A borrowed car, truck or van ☐
- Catch a ride or carpool with someone ☐
- Walk or ride a bike ☐
- Public transportation (such as Grant Transit Authority) ☐
- "Call for a ride" community transportation (such as People For People Bus) ☐
- Senior center, retirement home, school, or church bus or van ☐
- Taxi ☐
- Other _____

1b. Which of the above do you use most often? _____

2a. Do you and/or your family frequently have trouble getting to the places you need to go because of transportation problems?

Yes ☐ No ☐

2b. If you answered yes, what types of places are you having trouble getting to?

- Job or place of employment ☐ Training or school ☐ Child care ☐
- Senior center ☐ Shopping ☐ Recreation ☐
- Medical, dental and/or other health related appointment ☐
- Social, community and/or other public agencies ☐
(such as DSHS, Community Action, Food Bank, etc.)
- Other _____

3. If you had to choose from the following types of local transportation, which would you most use? Rank your preferences 1-7, with 1 being your most likely choice:

- a.** Catch a ride or carpool with someone _____
- b.** Walk or ride a bike _____
- c.** Public transportation (such as Grant Transit Authority) _____
- d.** "Call for a ride" community transportation (such as People For People Bus) _____
- e.** Senior center, retirement home, school, or church bus or van _____
- f.** Taxi _____
- g.** Other _____

4. When choosing a form of transportation other than your own car, truck, or van, please rank which of the following from 1-10, with 1 being your most likely choice, is most important to you:

- | | |
|--|-------------------------------|
| a. The cost _____ | f. Reliability _____ |
| b. Travel time to your destination _____ | g. Disabled access _____ |
| c. How easy it is to arrange _____ | h. Safety _____ |
| d. Time of day it is available _____ | i. Type of vehicle used _____ |
| e. Comfort _____ | j. Other _____ |

5. If a free telephone hotline existed to arrange local transportation, what part of the day should it be operated?

24 Hours ☐ _____ am – _____ pm ☐ Never ☐

SECTION F. EDUCATION

1. What is the highest level of education reached by the head of the household?

- | | |
|---|--|
| No school <input type="checkbox"/> | Some college <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 1-8 th grade <input type="checkbox"/> | 2 year/AA college degree <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 9-12 th grade <input type="checkbox"/> | 4 year/undergraduate college degree <input type="checkbox"/> |
| High school or GED <input type="checkbox"/> | Graduate/doctorate program <input type="checkbox"/> |

2. Were you and/or any other adult member of your family attending school in the last year?

Yes ☐ No ☐

3. Do you and/or any other adult member of your family hope to return to school for further education over the next year?

Yes ☐ No ☐

4. Does anyone in your family hold a vocational training certificate?

Yes ☐ No ☐

5. Has your educational level, transportation or child care issues affected your getting a job or keeping a job?

Yes ☐ No ☐

6a. Did you know what you wanted to do for a living when you grew up?

Yes ☐ No ☐

6b. If you answered yes, are you doing it? Yes ☐ No ☐

6c. If you aren't doing it, what do you think got in the way?

If there are children between the ages of 3-5 in the family:

7a. Are any of them attending preschool?

Yes ☐ No ☐

7b. If you answered no, why? Cost ☐ Is not available ☐ Is not necessary ☐

Other _____

If there are children between the ages of 5-17 in the family:

8. Are they regularly attending school?

Yes ☐ No ☐

9a. Are they currently enrolled in a public or private school? Yes ☐ No ☐

9b. If you answered no, are they currently being home-schooled? Yes ☐ No ☐

10. How satisfied are you with the education the children are receiving?

Not at all satisfied ☐ Somewhat/fairly satisfied ☐ Very satisfied ☐

11. Have any of the children in your family been in trouble at school in the last year (such as for missing too much school, getting suspended or in fights)?

Yes ☐ No ☐

SECTION G. HEALTH AND WELLNESS

1a. Do you and/or any of your family members have long-term health conditions that make everyday living difficult or are considered disabling?

Yes ☐ No ☐

1b. If you answered yes, how many of these family members are between 0-17 years old? _____

2a. Does every family member in the home have some form of medical or health insurance?

Yes ☐ No ☐

2b. If you answered no, who is not covered? _____

3. Do you and/or all of your family members have a doctor or medical clinic you can regularly be seen at and afford to visit?

Yes ☐ No ☐

4. Do you and/or all of your family members have a dentist or dental clinic you can regularly be seen at and afford to visit?

Yes ☐ No ☐

5a. In the last year have you and/or your family been to a doctor or clinic for preventative health check ups (such as annual physical exam, PAP/breast exam, dental check up, children's immunizations or well child check ups)?

Yes ☐ No ☐ For some of them ☐

5b. If you answered no, do any of the following reasons explain why?

Don't have the money for them ☐ Insurance doesn't cover them ☐

Not really necessary ☐ Not sure when to go ☐ Other _____

6a. Do you have to travel more than 30 minutes one way to get medical care for yourself or your family members?

Yes ☐ No ☐

6b. If you answered yes, is this a problem for you? Yes ☐ No ☐

7. Do you and/or your family have the following types of insurance?

a. Dental Yes ☐ No ☐
 b. Vision Yes ☐ No ☐
 c. Car Yes ☐ No ☐

d. Renters Yes ☐ No ☐
 e. Homeowners Yes ☐ No ☐

SECTION H. CHILDREN'S ISSUES

If there are children between the ages of 0-12 in the family:

1a. Is child care needed for them? Yes ☐ No ☐

1b. If you answered yes, for what purpose? Because you/the child's caretaker:

Is working ☐ Is in school ☐ Is in training ☐ Other reason _____

2. When is the child care needed? Morning ☐ Afternoon ☐ Evening ☐

Graveyard (late night/early morning) ☐ Other _____

3a. Is there a preference for the type of child care provider you and/or your family would like for the children?

Yes ☐ No ☐

3b. If you answered yes, which would you like most? Family member/friend ☐

Licensed home based child care provider ☐ Licensed child care center ☐

4. How much do you spend per month on child care?

\$ _____

5. Do you receive help from any source to pay for child care? Yes ☐ No ☐

6. Do you need care for anyone else in the home (for example an older family member or someone with a disability)?

Yes ☐ No ☐

If there are children between the ages of 8-14 in the family:

7. Do all of them have an adult regularly watching them or supervising their after-school activities?

Yes ☐ No ☐

8. Do any of them participate in organized after-school activities through a school or other community organization?

Yes ☐ No ☐

9a. How satisfied are you with the regular after-school arrangements made for these children?

Not at all satisfied ☐ Somewhat/fairly satisfied ☐ Very satisfied ☐

9b. If you answered not satisfied or are fairly satisfied, what would make the arrangements better?

If there are children between the ages of 15-17 in the family:

10. Do any of them participate in organized after-school activities through a school or other community organization?

Yes ☐ No ☐

11. Do any of them work? Yes ☐ No ☐

12a. Do you have any concerns about how they are spending their out of school time?

Yes ☐ No ☐

12b. If you answered yes, please describe your concerns. _____

SECTION I. LEGAL ISSUES

1. If you have children at home, have they been in trouble with the police or the courts in the last year?

Yes ☐ No ☐

2. Have you and/or your family had to deal with any of the following legal issues in the last year?

a. Housing or tenant issues Yes ☐ No ☐

b. Divorce, custody, or child support issues Yes ☐ No ☐

c. Bankruptcy or financial debt issues Yes ☐ No ☐

d. Immigration or residency issues Yes ☐ No ☐

e. Domestic violence or harassment issues Yes ☐ No ☐

f. Criminal or other court issues Yes ☐ No ☐

g. Discrimination or civil rights issues Yes ☐ No ☐

h. Appealing denials of public benefits Yes ☐ No ☐

i. Motor vehicle issues (license suspension, no insurance, or DUI) Yes ☐ No ☐

j. Other _____

SECTION J. QUALITY OF LIFE

1a. Do you feel safe in your home?

Yes ☐ No ☐

1b. If you answered no, do any of the following explain why you feel this way?

Condition of the home ☐ People in the home ☐

Neighborhood/area where you live ☐ Other _____

2a. Do you feel safe in the city or area where you live?

Yes ☐ No ☐

2b. If you answered no, do any of the following explain why you feel this way?

Neighbors ☐ Crime ☐ Isolated area ☐ Other _____

3. How concerned are you about your and/or family's financial situation?

Not concerned at all ☐ Somewhat/fairly concerned ☐ Very concerned ☐

In the last year have you and/or your family had to deal with any of the following:

4a. Financial crisis Yes ☐ No ☐

4b. Family crisis Yes ☐ No ☐

4c. Health crisis Yes ☐ No ☐

Do you have someone in your life who:

5a. Could help you deal with a personal problem Yes ☐ No ☐

5b. Could take you to the doctor if you needed it Yes ☐ No ☐

5c. You can confide in or talk to Yes ☐ No ☐

5d. Makes you feel loved and wanted Yes ☐ No ☐

5e. Could help you if you were sick and unable to do daily chores Yes ☐ No ☐

6. Have you or anyone in your family been denied housing or a job because of race, sex, age, or economic background?

Yes ☐ No ☐

7. Has your ethnic or cultural background negatively affected or made it difficult for you and/or your family to receive help from local services and organizations?

Yes ☐ No ☐

8. Has your ability to read and write English made it difficult for you and/or your family to get a job, get more education, or get a service you needed?

Yes ☐ No ☐

SECTION K. ABOUT YOU AND/OR YOUR FAMILY

1. Would you describe your home as being headed by:

Single person/no children ☐

Married couple/no children ☐

Single person/with children ☐

Married couple/with children ☐

Other _____

2. What is the primary language spoken in your home?

English ☐

Spanish ☐

Russian ☐

Ukrainian ☐

Japanese ☐

American Sign Language ☐ Other _____

3. What race or ethnicity are you and/or your family members?

Asian ☐

American Indian/Eskimo/Aleut ☐

Black ☐

Hispanic/Latino ☐

White ☐

Other _____

4. What was your and/or your family's total income in 2000?

\$ _____

5. If people other than you or your family live in the home, what was their total income in 2000?

\$ _____

6. Were you and/or any of your family members born in a country other than the United States?

Yes ☐ No ☐

SECTION L. YOUR COMMENTS

1. What do you like about the community you live in?

2. What don't you like about the community you live in?

3. What do you think are the strengths of your community?

4. What do you think is missing, if anything from your community?

5. If you could pick one thing to change about the community where you live that would help you or your family, what would it be?

Other Comments?

Survey Area

Respondents

By County

A respondent is the person who chooses to complete and return a questionnaire for themselves and/or their household. Questionnaires typically gather a small amount of information on key characteristics of those completing the survey. This information is used so that those responding can be compared in some way to the general population of the geographic area of interest. The ability to compare the two groups helps you determine how representative those responding are of the larger group of interest. It is unlikely that key characteristics of any respondent group will exactly match those of the larger population, however it is useful to know where some groups may be under or over represented.

When looking at the tables below keep in mind that:

- Numbers may not add to total due to rounding.
- Totals may be affected by unclear answers or non-response to the question. Non-response to a question should not be interpreted to "mean" anything in particular, as the respondent may not have thought the question pertained to them, none of our answers fit their view of the proper answer, they refused to answer, possibly just missed it, etc.
- Totals for each question are based on the number responding to "that" question not the total number of surveys received for the area unless otherwise specified.

Total Number of Usable Surveys Returned = 1367

This represents a total response rate to all surveys mailed out of 20%.

What county do you live in?

	Adams	%	Grant	%	Lincoln	%
	437	32	670	49	258	19

Would you describe your home as being headed by:

	Adams	%	Grant	%	Lincoln	%
Single person/no children	74	17	104	16	46	18
Single person/with children	37	9	55	8	13	5
Married couple/no children	115	27	185	28	77	30
Married couple/with children	178	42	274	42	100	39
Other	19	5	38	6	21	8
Total	423		656		257	

What is the primary language spoken in your home?

	Adams	%	Grant	%	Lincoln	%
English	387	89	632	96	253	98
Spanish	24	6	11	2	0	0
Japanese	1	0	2	0	2	1
American Sign Language	0	0	1	0	0	0
Other	0	0	1	0	0	0
English and Spanish	16	4	11	2	1	0
English and other non-Spanish	3	1	2	0	1	0
Total	431		660		257	

What race or ethnicity are you and/or your family members?

	Adams	%	Grant	%	Lincoln	%
Asian	6	1	1	0	4	2
American Indian	0	0	7	1	1	0
Black	0	0	4	1	1	0
Hispanic	45	11	31	5	1	0
White	341	80	549	85	234	92
Other	6	1	11	2	2	1
Two or more	29	7	43	7	11	4
Total	427		646		254	

What was your and/or your family's total income in 2000?

	Adams	%	Grant	%	Lincoln	%
\$0-14,999	37	11	70	13	22	10
\$15,000-29,999	79	24	125	24	61	29
\$30,000-44,999	77	24	128	24	47	22
\$45,000-59,999	56	17	67	13	34	16
\$60,000+	78	23	137	26	48	23
Total	327		527		212	

The median household income by county was: Adams County - \$37,500, Grant County - \$36,000, and Lincoln County - \$35,256.

Were you and/or any of your family members born in a country other than the United States?

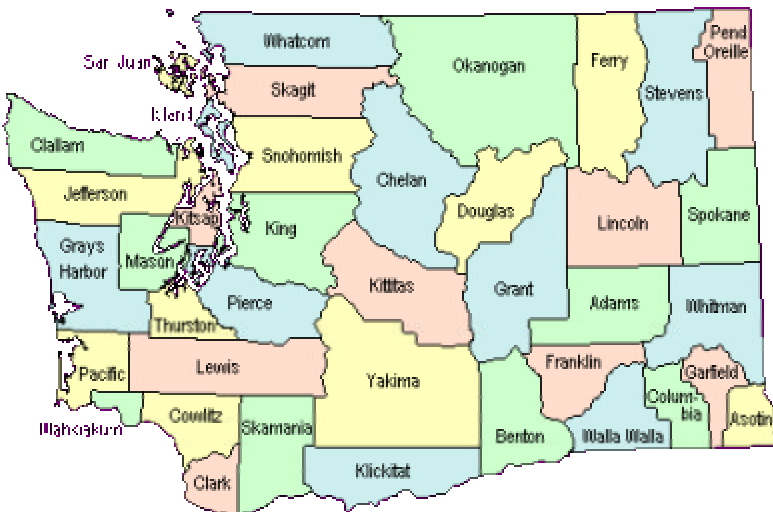
	Adams	%	Grant	%	Lincoln	%
Yes	59	15	54	9	13	5
No	345	85	579	91	227	95
Total	404		633		240	

Survey Area

Maps

Three Counties

Adams, Grant, and Lincoln counties are located in the center of Eastern Washington.



Sub-County Geography

Grant County zip code areas by name used in the report.

Name	Zip Code	Section
Grand Coulee	99133	North
Electric City	99123	North
Hartline	99135	North
Coulee City	99115	North
Marlin	98832	Middle
Soap Lake	98851	Middle
Ephrata	98823	Middle
Quincy	98848	Middle
Moses Lake	98837	Moses Lake
Warden	98857	South
Othello	99344	South
Royal City	99357	South
Beverly	99321	South
Mattawa	99349	South

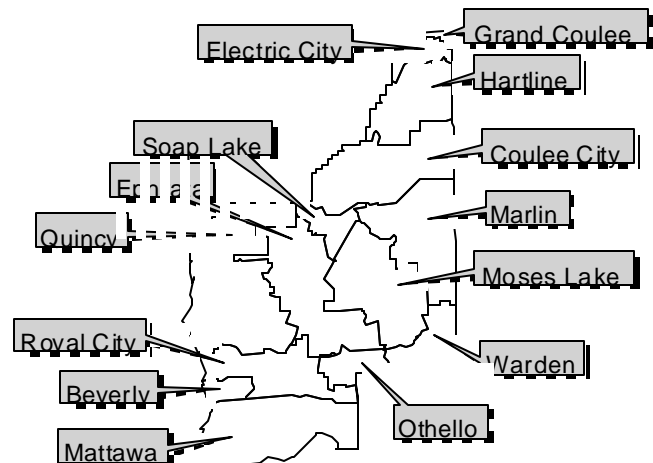


Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Adams County, Washington

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	16,428	100.0	HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
SEX AND AGE			Total population	16,428	100.0
Male.....	8,395	51.1	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	7,732	47.1
Female.....	8,033	48.9	Mexican.....	6,710	40.8
Under 5 years.....	1,552	9.4	Puerto Rican.....	11	0.1
5 to 9 years.....	1,616	9.8	Cuban.....	4	-
10 to 14 years.....	1,489	9.1	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	1,007	6.1
15 to 19 years.....	1,492	9.1	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	8,696	52.9
20 to 24 years.....	1,070	6.5	White alone.....	8,366	50.9
25 to 34 years.....	2,167	13.2	RELATIONSHIP		
35 to 44 years.....	2,151	13.1	Total population	16,428	100.0
45 to 54 years.....	1,910	11.6	In households.....	16,183	98.5
55 to 59 years.....	702	4.3	Householder.....	5,229	31.8
60 to 64 years.....	572	3.5	Spouse.....	3,320	20.2
65 to 74 years.....	931	5.7	Child.....	5,945	36.2
75 to 84 years.....	577	3.5	Own child under 18 years.....	5,051	30.7
85 years and over.....	199	1.2	Other relatives.....	1,051	6.4
Median age (years).....	29.6	(X)	Under 18 years.....	411	2.5
18 years and over.....	10,815	65.8	Nonrelatives.....	638	3.9
Male.....	5,465	33.3	Unmarried partner.....	249	1.5
Female.....	5,350	32.6	In group quarters.....	245	1.5
21 years and over.....	10,063	61.3	Institutionalized population.....	112	0.7
62 years and over.....	2,032	12.4	Noninstitutionalized population.....	133	0.8
65 years and over.....	1,707	10.4	HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Male.....	776	4.7	Total households	5,229	100.0
Female.....	931	5.7	Family households (families).....	4,094	78.3
RACE			With own children under 18 years.....	2,302	44.0
One race.....	15,977	97.3	Married-couple family.....	3,320	63.5
White.....	10,672	65.0	With own children under 18 years.....	1,788	34.2
Black or African American.....	46	0.3	Female householder, no husband present.....	527	10.1
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	112	0.7	With own children under 18 years.....	367	7.0
Asian.....	99	0.6	Nonfamily households.....	1,135	21.7
Asian Indian.....	18	0.1	Householder living alone.....	977	18.7
Chinese.....	8	-	Householder 65 years and over.....	403	7.7
Filipino.....	18	0.1	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	2,473	47.3
Japanese.....	15	0.1	Households with individuals 65 years and over.....	1,165	22.3
Korean.....	9	0.1	Average household size.....	3.09	(X)
Vietnamese.....	9	0.1	Average family size.....	3.52	(X)
Other Asian ¹	22	0.1	HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	6	-	Total housing units	5,773	100.0
Native Hawaiian.....	1	-	Occupied housing units.....	5,229	90.6
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	-	-	Vacant housing units.....	544	9.4
Samoan.....	1	-	For seasonal, recreational, or		
Other Pacific Islander ²	4	-	occasional use.....	59	1.0
Some other race.....	5,042	30.7	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	2.1	(X)
Two or more races.....	451	2.7	Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	10.7	(X)
Race alone or in combination with one			HOUSING TENURE		
or more other races: ³			Occupied housing units	5,229	100.0
White.....	11,080	67.4	Owner-occupied housing units.....	3,576	68.4
Black or African American.....	70	0.4	Renter-occupied housing units.....	1,653	31.6
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	207	1.3	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	3.02	(X)
Asian.....	148	0.9	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	3.26	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	30	0.2			
Some other race.....	5,359	32.6			

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Grant County, Washington

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Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	74,698	100.0	HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
SEX AND AGE			Total population	74,698	100.0
Male.....	38,177	51.1	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	22,476	30.1
Female.....	36,521	48.9	Mexican.....	19,369	25.9
Under 5 years.....	6,524	8.7	Puerto Rican.....	90	0.1
5 to 9 years.....	6,600	8.8	Cuban.....	34	-
10 to 14 years.....	6,719	9.0	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	2,983	4.0
15 to 19 years.....	6,519	8.7	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	52,222	69.9
20 to 24 years.....	4,883	6.5	White alone.....	48,883	65.4
25 to 34 years.....	9,762	13.1	RELATIONSHIP		
35 to 44 years.....	10,387	13.9	Total population	74,698	100.0
45 to 54 years.....	8,845	11.8	In households.....	73,605	98.5
55 to 59 years.....	3,239	4.3	Householder.....	25,204	33.7
60 to 64 years.....	2,602	3.5	Spouse.....	14,955	20.0
65 to 74 years.....	4,681	6.3	Child.....	25,445	34.1
75 to 84 years.....	3,046	4.1	Own child under 18 years.....	21,616	28.9
85 years and over.....	891	1.2	Other relatives.....	4,091	5.5
Median age (years).....	31.1	(X)	Under 18 years.....	1,555	2.1
18 years and over.....	50,764	68.0	Nonrelatives.....	3,910	5.2
Male.....	25,812	34.6	Unmarried partner.....	1,428	1.9
Female.....	24,952	33.4	In group quarters.....	1,093	1.5
21 years and over.....	47,272	63.3	Institutionalized population.....	564	0.8
62 years and over.....	10,129	13.6	Noninstitutionalized population.....	529	0.7
65 years and over.....	8,618	11.5	HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Male.....	3,950	5.3	Total households	25,204	100.0
Female.....	4,668	6.2	Family households (families).....	18,674	74.1
RACE			With own children under 18 years.....	10,065	39.9
One race.....	72,451	97.0	Married-couple family.....	14,955	59.3
White.....	57,174	76.5	With own children under 18 years.....	7,562	30.0
Black or African American.....	742	1.0	Female householder, no husband present.....	2,473	9.8
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	863	1.2	With own children under 18 years.....	1,759	7.0
Asian.....	652	0.9	Nonfamily households.....	6,530	25.9
Asian Indian.....	42	0.1	Householder living alone.....	5,343	21.2
Chinese.....	40	0.1	Householder 65 years and over.....	2,238	8.9
Filipino.....	81	0.1	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	10,890	43.2
Japanese.....	319	0.4	Households with individuals 65 years and over.....	5,969	23.7
Korean.....	73	0.1	Average household size.....	2.92	(X)
Vietnamese.....	67	0.1	Average family size.....	3.38	(X)
Other Asian ¹	30	-	HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	53	0.1	Total housing units	29,081	100.0
Native Hawaiian.....	15	-	Occupied housing units.....	25,204	86.7
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	8	-	Vacant housing units.....	3,877	13.3
Samoan.....	11	-	For seasonal, recreational, or		
Other Pacific Islander ²	19	-	occasional use.....	1,576	5.4
Some other race.....	12,967	17.4	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	3.2	(X)
Two or more races.....	2,247	3.0	Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	10.7	(X)
Race alone or in combination with one			HOUSING TENURE		
or more other races: ³			Occupied housing units	25,204	100.0
White.....	59,184	79.2	Owner-occupied housing units.....	16,809	66.7
Black or African American.....	984	1.3	Renter-occupied housing units.....	8,395	33.3
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	1,483	2.0	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	2.86	(X)
Asian.....	968	1.3	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	3.04	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	128	0.2			
Some other race.....	14,319	19.2			

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Lincoln County, Washington

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	10,184	100.0	HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
SEX AND AGE			Total population	10,184	100.0
Male.....	5,050	49.6	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	191	1.9
Female.....	5,134	50.4	Mexican.....	128	1.3
Under 5 years.....	584	5.7	Puerto Rican.....	15	0.1
5 to 9 years.....	675	6.6	Cuban.....	10	0.1
10 to 14 years.....	802	7.9	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	38	0.4
15 to 19 years.....	726	7.1	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	9,993	98.1
20 to 24 years.....	315	3.1	White alone.....	9,632	94.6
25 to 34 years.....	885	8.7	RELATIONSHIP		
35 to 44 years.....	1,477	14.5	Total population	10,184	100.0
45 to 54 years.....	1,540	15.1	In households.....	10,059	98.8
55 to 59 years.....	637	6.3	Householder.....	4,151	40.8
60 to 64 years.....	611	6.0	Spouse.....	2,528	24.8
65 to 74 years.....	984	9.7	Child.....	2,821	27.7
75 to 84 years.....	663	6.5	Own child under 18 years.....	2,419	23.8
85 years and over.....	285	2.8	Other relatives.....	225	2.2
Median age (years).....	42.8	(X)	Under 18 years.....	98	1.0
18 years and over.....	7,610	74.7	Nonrelatives.....	334	3.3
Male.....	3,702	36.4	Unmarried partner.....	174	1.7
Female.....	3,908	38.4	In group quarters.....	125	1.2
21 years and over.....	7,346	72.1	Institutionalized population.....	90	0.9
62 years and over.....	2,282	22.4	Noninstitutionalized population.....	35	0.3
65 years and over.....	1,932	19.0	HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Male.....	893	8.8	Total households	4,151	100.0
Female.....	1,039	10.2	Family households (families).....	2,914	70.2
RACE			With own children under 18 years.....	1,216	29.3
One race.....	10,020	98.4	Married-couple family.....	2,528	60.9
White.....	9,740	95.6	With own children under 18 years.....	955	23.0
Black or African American.....	23	0.2	Female householder, no husband present.....	265	6.4
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	166	1.6	With own children under 18 years.....	172	4.1
Asian.....	25	0.2	Nonfamily households.....	1,237	29.8
Asian Indian.....	-	-	Householder living alone.....	1,079	26.0
Chinese.....	2	-	Householder 65 years and over.....	511	12.3
Filipino.....	11	0.1	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	1,290	31.1
Japanese.....	2	-	Households with individuals 65 years and over.....	1,296	31.2
Korean.....	8	0.1	Average household size.....	2.42	(X)
Vietnamese.....	-	-	Average family size.....	2.91	(X)
Other Asian ¹	2	-	HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	7	0.1	Total housing units	5,298	100.0
Native Hawaiian.....	3	-	Occupied housing units.....	4,151	78.4
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	-	-	Vacant housing units.....	1,147	21.6
Samoan.....	4	-	For seasonal, recreational, or		
Other Pacific Islander ²	-	-	occasional use.....	571	10.8
Some other race.....	59	0.6	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	4.4	(X)
Two or more races.....	164	1.6	Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	6.6	(X)
Race alone or in combination with one			HOUSING TENURE		
or more other races: ³			Occupied housing units	4,151	100.0
White.....	9,893	97.1	Owner-occupied housing units.....	3,188	76.8
Black or African American.....	61	0.6	Renter-occupied housing units.....	963	23.2
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	277	2.7	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	2.41	(X)
Asian.....	45	0.4	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	2.47	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	9	0.1			
Some other race.....	77	0.8			

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Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Washington

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Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	5,894,121	100.0	HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
SEX AND AGE			Total population	5,894,121	100.0
Male.....	2,934,300	49.8	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	441,509	7.5
Female.....	2,959,821	50.2	Mexican.....	329,934	5.6
Under 5 years.....	394,306	6.7	Puerto Rican.....	16,140	0.3
5 to 9 years.....	425,909	7.2	Cuban.....	4,501	0.1
10 to 14 years.....	434,836	7.4	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	90,934	1.5
15 to 19 years.....	427,968	7.3	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	5,452,612	92.5
20 to 24 years.....	390,185	6.6	White alone.....	4,652,490	78.9
25 to 34 years.....	841,130	14.3	RELATIONSHIP		
35 to 44 years.....	975,087	16.5	Total population	5,894,121	100.0
45 to 54 years.....	845,972	14.4	In households.....	5,757,739	97.7
55 to 59 years.....	285,505	4.8	Householder.....	2,271,398	38.5
60 to 64 years.....	211,075	3.6	Spouse.....	1,181,995	20.1
65 to 74 years.....	337,166	5.7	Child.....	1,691,535	28.7
75 to 84 years.....	240,897	4.1	Own child under 18 years.....	1,385,475	23.5
85 years and over.....	84,085	1.4	Other relatives.....	236,631	4.0
Median age (years).....	35.3	(X)	Under 18 years.....	85,991	1.5
18 years and over.....	4,380,278	74.3	Nonrelatives.....	376,180	6.4
Male.....	2,157,240	36.6	Unmarried partner.....	139,469	2.4
Female.....	2,223,038	37.7	In group quarters.....	136,382	2.3
21 years and over.....	4,127,976	70.0	Institutionalized population.....	57,218	1.0
62 years and over.....	782,897	13.3	Noninstitutionalized population.....	79,164	1.3
65 years and over.....	662,148	11.2	HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Male.....	281,985	4.8	Total households	2,271,398	100.0
Female.....	380,163	6.4	Family households (families).....	1,499,127	66.0
RACE			With own children under 18 years.....	742,481	32.7
One race.....	5,680,602	96.4	Married-couple family.....	1,181,995	52.0
White.....	4,821,823	81.8	With own children under 18 years.....	541,636	23.8
Black or African American.....	190,267	3.2	Female householder, no husband present.....	224,618	9.9
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	93,301	1.6	With own children under 18 years.....	146,920	6.5
Asian.....	322,335	5.5	Nonfamily households.....	772,271	34.0
Asian Indian.....	23,992	0.4	Householder living alone.....	594,325	26.2
Chinese.....	59,914	1.0	Householder 65 years and over.....	184,924	8.1
Filipino.....	65,373	1.1	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	799,102	35.2
Japanese.....	35,985	0.6	Households with individuals 65 years and over.....	463,007	20.4
Korean.....	46,880	0.8	Average household size.....	2.53	(X)
Vietnamese.....	46,149	0.8	Average family size.....	3.07	(X)
Other Asian ¹	44,042	0.7	HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	23,953	0.4	Total housing units	2,451,075	100.0
Native Hawaiian.....	4,883	0.1	Occupied housing units.....	2,271,398	92.7
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	5,823	0.1	Vacant housing units.....	179,677	7.3
Samoan.....	8,049	0.1	For seasonal, recreational, or		
Other Pacific Islander ²	5,198	0.1	occasional use.....	60,355	2.5
Some other race.....	228,923	3.9	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	1.8	(X)
Two or more races.....	213,519	3.6	Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	5.9	(X)
Race alone or in combination with one			HOUSING TENURE		
or more other races: ³			Occupied housing units	2,271,398	100.0
White.....	5,003,180	84.9	Owner-occupied housing units.....	1,467,009	64.6
Black or African American.....	238,398	4.0	Renter-occupied housing units.....	804,389	35.4
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	158,940	2.7	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	2.65	(X)
Asian.....	395,741	6.7	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	2.32	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	42,761	0.7			
Some other race.....	287,400	4.9			

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